

FIRE RAZES THEATRE

Japs And Chinese May Reach Shanghai Truce

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With Japanese

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Shanghai Trouble Is
Believed Near

BOTH NATIONS TO
WITHDRAW TROOPS

Armistice Plan Before
League Of Nations
Council Meeting
Tonight

(BULLETIN)
International News Service)
GENEVA, Feb. 29.—Delegates
of Japan and China this even-
ing accepted a League of Na-
tions Council plan for cessation
of hostilities at Shanghai.

Dr. W. W. Yen, Chinese dele-
gate, announced that the plan
was satisfactory and acceptable
to the Chinese government at
Nanking.

Naoaki Sato, Japanese dele-
gate, announced his tentative
acceptance contingent upon ap-
proval from Tokyo.

By ARNO DOSCH-FLEURO
International News Service Staff
Correspondent

GENEVA, Feb. 29.—An
armistice under which Jap-
anese and Chinese troops
will suspend hostilities at
Shanghai may be agreed
upon at the meeting of the
League of Nations council
tonight.

Prospects for an agree-
ment suddenly brightened
late this afternoon when the
Chinese outlined counter-
proposals to the Japanese
truce terms which they will
propose and the Japanese in-
dicated that with modifica-
tions the Chinese proposals
might be found acceptable.

Dr. W. W. Yen, Chinese delegate,
told International News Service he
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FIVE MEN GIVEN JOBS IN FIRST DAY'S EFFORT

Five men were given employment
through the office of the American
Legion unemployment office at 326
Neshannock Avenue on Saturday.
According to Garland Crites, who
has charge of the office, many
more men were registered and the
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**Fire Destroyed Capitol
Theatre Was Landmark
Here For Many Years**

One of the landmarks of the Amer-
ican theatrical world passed out of
existence Sunday night when the
Capitol theatre was entirely destroyed
by fire. To a few old timers the
theatre may be remembered as She-
nango Hall, the name it bore when
it first opened.

Shortly after the Civil war the
building was erected, the first floor
being used as a market house and the
second as Shenango Hall. Here the
stars of the post-war period dis-
played their genius and here the
early settlers of New Castle got their
theatrical fare.

Remodeled in 1873.

The building was erected by R.
Allen and was owned by a stock
company. About 1873 it was re-
modeled and some of the huge
beams that burned last night were
brought in then. About 1898 the build-
ing was sold at a receiver's sale and
was bought by J. F. Genginger, who
owned it since.

A further remodeling was made
theatre put on the first floor and it
was then known as the Opera
House. Barrett, Modjeska, Nordica,
Adams, Warfield, Skinner, these
were some of the names that bright-
ened the program of the old theatre.

About seven years ago Ben Burke
of Pittsburgh took a long lease on
the building and had it remodeled
again. Several years ago the Peo-
ples Amusement corporation bought
the lease from Mr. Burke and has
operated it since then.

"The theatre will not be rebuilt,"
declared J. F. Genginger today.
"The walls will be torn down, the
lot will be leveled and for a time at least
the lot will be vacant, used for
parking space perhaps."

This passes another place of enter-
tainment gone the same way of the
Liberty theatre. Just a few years back
the Capitol, went a few years back,
the victim of the fire demon.

**Young Woman Is
Killed By Bandit,
Husband Wounded**

Young Woman Slain Near
Blairsville As She Sleeps
— Bandit Asks For
Money

HUSBAND OF VICTIM
SUFFERS WOUNDS

(International News Service)
BLAIRSVILLE, Pa., Feb. 29.—
Aroused by the wanton killing of a
non-resisting woman victim, city
and state police today searched for a
gunman-bandit who murdered
Mrs. Ruth Stewart, 23, as she slept
in her home here.

Wilfred Stewart, 22, her husband,
was wounded seriously by the night
robber.

The attack occurred at the filling
station operated by Stewart. The
couple had retired to their bedroom
about midnight.

Without warning, their window was shattered by the first of three
shots fired from outside. The leaden
slug penetrated Stewart's side. The second bullet struck his wife,
killing her instantly. The third went wild.

After the last shot, Stewart said,
the gunman approached the
smashed window and demanded:

"Throw out your money."

Stewart managed to drag himself
across the floor and from the build-
ing. When he gained the outside he
found the killer had fled.

CONTI CAR FOUND

ON REYNOLDS STREET
Automobile of Sylvester Conti of
1502 Hamilton street, stolen Satur-
day evening on Lathrop street, was
found Sunday on East Reynolds
street at the Lincoln and Garfield
school.

Statistics for a year ago, follow:
February 28—

Maximum temperature, 43.

Minimum temperature, 34.

Precipitation, .02 inches.

River stage 4.6 feet, rising.

Statistics for the 24-hour period
ending at 9 o'clock Sunday morning,
are as follows:

Maximum temperature, 57.

Minimum temperature, 33.

Precipitation, .04 inches.

River stage 4.5 feet.

Statistics for a year ago, follow:

February 28—

Maximum temperature, 46.

Minimum temperature, 20.

Precipitation, trace.

February 29—

No statistics.

Daily Weather Report

U. S. weather bureau statistic for
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U. S. Residents In Shanghai Happy To See Them



American doughboys received a
rousing reception when they landed
at Shanghai to protect Uncle Sam's
residents in the war-ridden
area. Photo shows the color
guard of the 31st infantry passing
through the city's streets upon
their arrival there to lend a hand
to the U. S. Marines in Shanghai.
The American marines and
soldiers have orders to maintain neu-
trality and to protect nationals.

**Bell Telephone Girls
Stay At Their Posts
Despite Fire Nearby**

The work must go on—
And it did go on. A corps of calm
and concentrated telephone operators
sat at the Bell Telephone exchange
boards, efficiently and quickly con-
necting thousands of calls last night.

A gigantic fire was raging in a
theatre just a few yards away. Ladders
were erected on the telephone
exchange building, the sound of
hurrying firemen could be heard on
the roof above, a crowd of hundreds
of people stood outside, tensely
watching, waiting for the col-
lapse of the great walls—

Yet the work went on.

At the peak of the fire a News
representative entered the telephone
exchange room and found it a picture
of orderliness. To cope with the
great emergency the night chief operator,
Miss Lillian Davies and the chief
operator, Mrs. Clara Molesworth
were both present, as well as a
squad of twenty girls, most of
whom received special summons to
help out. The operators who were
called from their homes were rushing
one by one to the boards each carrying
her own mouth-piece and
head phones.

Until the reserves began coming in,
there were the usual number of
operators at the exchange boards,
numbering five. The service was
possibly a little slow until sufficient
girls arrived to man the boards.

Quite a number of the reserves were
volunteers who were off duty but
who happened to be in the district
so offered their aid.

W. W. Kinkel, district traffic super-
intendent took charge of the sit-
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DEATH RECORD

Rev. J. Russell Rich, Ripley, N. Y.
Mrs. Nettie Campbell Madge, 72,
Butler.

Mrs. W. M. Easterbrook, 74, Or-
mond avenue, Sharon.

Mrs. Emily Braatz Horne, 78, Pun-
ta Gorda.

Mrs. E. J. Pattison, 94, Youngs-
town road.

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DEATH TOLL IN MINE DISASTER IS 38

Intensive Probe
Of Mine Tragedy
Will Be Started

Plan For Mass Funerals Of
38 Victims Of Virginia
Mine Disaster

CAUSE OF BLAST
IS UNDETERMINED

Rescue Workers Find Bodies
Of 21 Victims In Gas
Filled Workings

(International News Service)
POCAHONTAS, VA., Feb. 29.—Stricken by one of the worst major disasters of recent years, the little soft-coal community today united in preparation for a mass funeral of 38 mine workers, victims of a mysterious blast that shattered the Boisbeyan mine of the Pocahontas Fuel Company early Saturday.

Although more than 48 hours had elapsed since the blast let go, only 21 bodies had been recovered today. Seventeen men, still missing, undoubtedly met death either in the explosion or from poisonous fumes which spread through the workings, according to mine officials. Only seven of the trapped men were unmarred.

Those identified so far are: Burton Brooks, Charles Yates, Ed Saunders, negro; J. L. Phipps, Clayton Hodges, Sam White. Phipps was the father of ten children.

Rescue Work Continued

Rescue workers continued steadily through the subterranean chasm house today with no let up in their efforts although death had emerged the victor from a dramatic race which began in the debris-strewn interior Saturday morning.

Scores of trained men, volunteers and comrades of those trapped two and one half miles back in the basin main section, equipped themselves with gas masks and entered the shaft Saturday.

Working in relays, these men struggled wearily forward in an attempt to reach the entombed men for whom hope had first been held out. Frequently the relays were driven back by the deadly fumes. Time and again the affected passengers were batticed off until the giant mine fan could sweep a clean current of air into the gas-choked sections.

Rescue work was hampered further by recurring falls of slate.

Pitiful Scene

Dawn disclosed a pitiful scene at the mine entrance when seabed bodies of the victims—white and negro workers—were brought to the surface.

Stolid women, racked by dry sobs and women with tears streaming down their grimy cheeks, found their worst fears realized as state police held them back from the shaft where they had kept a vigil through two nights of cold and rain.

Legal investigating machinery swung into action as soon as the first body reached the surface. Most of the bodies were left at the bottom of the shaft pending definite determination of the fate of all the men.

Plan For Probe

Congress George W. Gillespie opened a formal inquest in an effort to ascertain the exact cause of death. It was conceded that possibly a week will elapse before a verdict is reached.

Mine officials said origin of the mysterious blast will not be learned until rescue workers penetrate further into the wrecked operation. The mine was reported to be a non-gaseous operation.

Two men who fled to the surface in advance of the blast said wisps of blue-white smoke eddied through the section near where the victims were working a few minutes before the explosion occurred.

You should remember, however, that almost every dollar the Allies borrowed was spent in America for a dime's worth of something.

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HAVE YOU THE UTTERMOST FAITH IN
YOUR FUNERAL DIRECTOR?

PA NEWC
OBSERVES

(Continued From Page One)

her hind legs looking in the glass door of a market on Mill street, litely and decorously standing on. Presently the door opened and pussy was bade "enter". This she did with calm dignity.

Local youths whose mustaches do not grow quite fast enough help them along, Pa. News notices. A North street lad had one appear overnight, and a handsome one was. On closer inspection it was found to be painted on.

The churches of the city are dispensing with the Wednesday evening prayer services this week in order that the members of the congregations may attend the Billy Sunday meeting in the cathedral at 8 o'clock.

While the Capitol theater was ablaze Sunday evening, it brought back memories of a similar incident which occurred on a Sunday in March, year of 1926, when the Liberty theater, located on South Mill street, caught fire during the night and burned to the ground. It will be recalled to many as the old Coliseum theater.

New Castle firemen have spent two successive sleepless nights. At 1:55 Saturday night five departments were called out by the fire at the Ingham home on Shaw street. No. 6 department going to central station, while the central crew and No. 2 department fought the blaze Sunday night the Capitol theater fire called every department into action.

**BELL TELEPHONE
GIRLS REMAIN AT
POSTS DURING FIRE**

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the Allen building, over a block from the doomed theater, had necessarily to be watched.

Many of the older citizens who

were present at the fire last night

recalled the burning of "Park Opera

House" located on the Diamond

many years ago. It used to be known

as the "pride of New Castle". Others

were able to remember more

vividly the time that flames licked

the Coliseum building on South

Mill street to the ground. The Coliseum

was never rebuilt and the cellar

and tile front walk remain as

catch reminders of that great fire.

At all times to act contrary, truck

No. 1, triple combination, chose last

night that it had a large number of

fire companies, well equipped with

apparatus. With nineteen lines of

hose laid to the fire, there were

none too many. The firemen were

enabled to entirely surround the

theater on all sides with lines of

hose due to the large number of fire

companies summoned.

Spectators at the blaze last night

gave the firemen credit for doing

effective work. It looked for a time

like the fire would spread across the

alleyways surrounding the

building. Some of the buildings did

catch fire, but the flames were

promptly extinguished.

A Washington street business man

saw the damage to the firehouse

last night and in just a short time ev-

erything was working smoothly.

Between the hours of 9 to 12 a.m.

the usual number of calls is 200.

Last night 5900 calls were made in

those hours, showing a tremendous

increase. The majority of the calls

came through from 10:45 p.m. to 11

p.m. Although many inquiries in

regard to the fire were received by

the exchange, no information was

given out.

The fact that only the two lines,

both located by the burning theatre

building, were interfered with is ex-

plainable by the fact that the facil-

ties are all underground.

Even when the electric lights be-

came so dim that it was necessary to

switch on the gas lamps, the girls

did not hesitate in their work. The

gas lamps are located in the ex-

change room to be used in time of

great emergency.

Speed, composure, quiet efficiency

were the keynotes of the long, tense

night.

The little buttons of light kept

jumping over the boards. Each sig-

nal was politely observed with a

"Number, please?" Firemen, crowd-

ing, flying sparks, tongues of fire were

weaving excitedly outside.

But the work went on.

**YOUTHS' HEARING
SET BY MARSHALL**

Facing charges of robbing the Sutton gasoline station on South

Mill street over the week end, two

youths, Tony Conti and Rudolph

Campollo, this city, will appear on

the stand in Alderman William E.

Marshall's office, Wednesday morn-

ing.

Chief of Police C. C. Horner filed

the charge.

**STOLEN CAR IS
FOUND BY OFFICER**

Charles Joseph of R. D. No. 6 re-

ported to the police Sunday evening

that his automobile, which he had

parked on South Mill street near

Washington street, had been stolen.

The stolen car was later found fur-

ther down South Mill street by Officer

Fred Harlan.

And we gather that Skidmore col-

lege is not a school for reckless mot-

orists.—The Lowell Evening Leader.

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LAWRENCE UNIT
AT CONFERENCE

TWENTY-FIVE FORM
NEW GARDEN CLUB

Members of the Lawrence county unit, Women's Overseas Service League, on Saturday participated in the conference of the Third Corps Area units of the Women's Overseas Service league held in the Pittsburgh district and sponsored by the Pittsburgh unit. The units participating were the Washington, D. C., Maryland, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Lawrence county. Those attending from Lawrence county unit were Mrs. Joseph Riley, Miss Dorothy White, Miss Gladys Rich, Mrs. W. L. Cosey, Mrs. Garfield Thomas of Ellwood City, Mrs. William Curry and Mrs. H. K. Bell.

The conference opened with a business session in the Pittsburgh unit headquarters in the Pittsburgh Y. M. C. A. at which service records of the national organization and the several units were presented. Miss Faustine Dennis of Washington, D. C., vice-president of the Third Corps Area, presided and was assisted by Mrs. Flora Van Syckel Laughlin, president of the Pittsburgh unit.

The entire group numbering 80 was entertained at luncheon at the charming home of Mrs. Ralph W. Harbison on Pine road, Sewickley. During the afternoon following the luncheon, a program was presented over which Miss Faustine Dennis, vice-president of the Third Corps Area, presided and during which the service record of the national organization and the various units was discussed, also various problems of the organization.

In the evening the entire group motored to the home of Mrs. Francis E. Shirley, 1426 Denison avenue, Pittsburgh, where the members were entertained at dinner. Mrs. Shirley is superintendent of the Industrial Home for Crippled Children of Pittsburgh, and those present were privileged to visit the home, which is known as the Industrial Home of Cheerful Children and all were interested in the cheerfulness radiating from the faces of the children in spite of their afflictions. Members of the Lawrence county unit were interested in meeting several children from this district.

Miss Gladys Rich remained in Pittsburgh Sunday, when the corps area had a 1 o'clock luncheon at Hotel Schenley, after which those in attendance at the conference, including Miss Rich, toured the Pittsburgh district and visited the Aspinwall hospital for war veterans.

The conference was concluded Sunday evening with a dinner with Miss Yolande Marchand, an Overseas Service woman and a social worker in the Aspinwall hospital.

Music Club Postponement
The meeting of Music club members planned for this evening at the First Presbyterian church has been postponed until a later date to be announced in the near future, due to the illness of Thomas W. Webber, organist, who was to take part.

St. Patrick Day
Place and Tally Cards,
Novelties and Favors

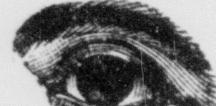
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DINNER PARTY AT
EAST BROOK HOME

Miss Edna Waddington was a charming hostess Saturday evening when she entertained a group of friends in her home at East Brook at a dinner party. A delicious menu was served at an appropriate hour at a large table beautifully appointed in tones of green and white suggestive of St. Patrick's day. The hostess was assisted by her sister, Mrs. Dorothy Waddington with the menu.

Later, a contest in cards was in progress and novel prizes for honors were awarded to Mrs. Ernest Shaffer and Samuel Brown at the conclusion of play.

Among the guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Shaffer of Beaver Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin McAnlis of Warren, O. Samuel Brown and Maxwell Belleg of New Castle.

D. A. R. MEMBERS
MEET ON SATURDAY

The regular meeting of the D. A. R. members will be held at the home of Mrs. W. A. Stone, 317 Boyles avenue on Saturday afternoon, March 5, at 2:30 o'clock. The usual routine will be carried out, and matters of importance will be discussed at this time.

1930 Hokum Club

The 1930 Hokum Club met in regular session at the home of Mildred Campbell, 40 North Cochran Way on Friday evening with seven members and three children present.

A raffle was held, the prize being awarded to Mildred Campbell, and following "hokum" was featured the trophies for success going to Esther Taylor and Esther Shaffer.

The shower was given in honor of Harry McKinley Jr., infant son of Mrs. McKinley. He was presented with a number of nice gifts.

After serving of lunch by the hostess, assisted by Sue Dunn and Mrs. Mary Gilkey, the meeting adjourned. On Friday March 11, Esther Shaffer of R. D. 4 New Castle will entertain.

Kupke-Kard-Klub

A delightful meeting of the Kupke-Kard-Klub members was held Saturday evening in the home of Mrs. Victor Truschel on North Shenango street. Cards while away the hours in a delightful manner, and prizes for honors were won by Mrs. Evans Campbell and Amos Ziegler at the close of play.

After the serving of a dainty lunch by the hostess at tables arranged in tones of green and white, the members departed. In two weeks Mrs. Campbell of Clayton St. will receive the members in her home.

Entertains At Dinner Party

The Carl Staebner home on East Edison avenue was the scene of a delightful social event Saturday when a group of friends were entertained at a beautifully appointed 7 o'clock dinner in their home. Flowers and tones suggestive of the season were cleverly used in the table decorations where a sumptuous menu was served by Mrs. Staebner. Places marked for Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Klingensmith, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Carlson and daughter Betty Lou, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Potter, and children Jack and Elaine, Mr. and Mrs. Staebner and daughter Bertha Lou.

Following serving, the guests participated in a cards contest, which occupied the remaining hours.

Octette Bridge Club

The Octette Bridge Club met at the home of Miss Evelyn Bernine, Northview avenue Friday evening, and cards occupied the attention of the guests during the early hours. Miss June Webster was awarded first prize and second prize went to Miss Rachel Otto.

At conclusion of the game a very delicious lunch was served by hostess assisted by Miss Clara Bernine. Patriotic appointments were used, everything being very colorful.

Mrs. Alice Hanson was a special guest, she coming from Slippery Rock as the guest of Miss Evelyn Bernine.

The March meeting will be held at the home of Miss Rachel Otto.

Leave for Florida

Mr. and Mrs. William Curran, Wilmington road, left Saturday for Florida. They will join Mr. Curran's brother and family of Woodlawn, who have been in Florida the past two months.

On their return they will visit in Washington, D. C., with their son, Clare, who is in the Engineering school detachment at Ft. Humphreys.

Ritz Club

Mrs. Kuerck of South Jefferson street will entertain the members of the Ritz club at her home tonight. The meeting starts at 8:00 o'clock.

T. L. T. Club Members

Mrs. Margaret Johnson of Superior street will be hostess to associates of the T. L. T. club in her home Tuesday evening at a 6 o'clock tureen dinner.

Class to Dine

Members of the J. G. Clements class of the Epworth Methodist church will have a tureen dinner Tuesday evening in the dining room of the church at six o'clock.

Dinner will be followed by the monthly business meeting and social program.

B. W. R. Club

Mrs. W. G. Sapper of 516 West Clayton street will receive members of the B. W. R. Club at her home Tuesday evening at eight o'clock. Mrs. R. C. Solomon will be associate hostess.

O. N. O. Club Notes

Members of the O. N. O. Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Maurice Boyd, Garfield avenue, March 26 instead of this evening as previously announced.

Canter Bridge Club

Miss Jean Glenn will entertain members of the Canter Bridge club at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. L. Patterson of 927 Ross avenue on Wednesday, March 9 instead of Wednesday this week as planned.

Sorosis Club

The Sorosis club members will be received in the home of Mrs. E. C. Hester who resides at 935 Beckford street, on Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Wednesday Bridge Club

Mrs. David Pyle of 314 East Lincoln avenue will entertain the Wednesday Bridge Club members in her home Wednesday afternoon.

Pittsburgh Club

Associates of the Pittsburgh Club will be entertained at 500 and bingo in the home of Mrs. Francis Drake, Richeieu avenue, this evening.

Gowanda Club

The Gowanda Club members will meet Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Florence Klee, East Washington street.

Club Calendar For Week

Tuesday's Clubs.

Ever-Glad club, Mrs. William Evans, East Lutton street.
Bon-Homie club, Mrs. Carl Kirchner, King avenue.
N. E. W. Bridge club, Mrs. Jack Dunlap, Court street.
Ve-Ra-Ga Bridge club, Mrs. Agnes Frey, hostess.

Garden club, Mrs. Charles Burkhardt, Clemmons boulevard.

Jokers club, Elizabeth Isaac, Reynolds street.

Full-A-Fun club, Mrs. Sam Nickum, Ashland avenue.

Tuesday Evening Bridge club, Mrs. Joe Ziegler, 14 West Leasure avenue.

G. A. T. 1914 club, Mrs. David Griffith, Temple avenue.

T. L. T. Kensington, Mrs. Margaret Johnson, Superior street; 6 o'clock tureen.

Wednesday's Clubs.

Jameson Memorial hospital, sewing 9 to 12 o'clock; Current Events '23 and other women in city interested will participate.

G. W. C. Club, Mrs. J. M. Edwards, Garfield avenue.

1931 Glendale Bridge club, Mrs. Clyde Nicholson, 217 Hillcrest avenue.

Bestyette Bridge club, Mrs. Clare Montgomery, hostess.

Jolly Twelve club, Mrs. Frank Meyers, Allen street.

Art club, Y. W. C. A., 2:30 o'clock; Capt. Hamilton, speaker; federated club members invited to attend.

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Amerson Art club, Clark Rutter, East Washington street.

1919 Kensington, Mrs. Charles McClelland, Croton avenue.

Reading Circle '06, Mrs. J. H. Koehler, Maryland avenue.

G. W. C. Club, Mrs. Will Campbell, Erie avenue.

Tri-Quad Bridge club, Virginia Hickok, 906 Wilmington avenue.

O. M. K. club, Mrs. Ed McClelland, Liberty street.

Iona Kensington, Mrs. Edward Carr, hostess.

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TO THE UNKNOWN CITIZEN

THE Unknown Soldiers of a dozen nations receive the homage of their grateful fellow citizens who do not forget the mass valor of the myriad of anonymous heroes.

Equally gracious is the action of the administrators of the Bok Award of Philadelphia in bestowing this \$10,000 prize this year upon the Unknown Citizen. In this case the Unknown Citizen of Philadelphia represents Mr. and Mrs. Everybody who are good neighbors, help the Community Fund, serve on relief committees, remember the people down the street who haven't had a job for a year, cheer up their friends who need a hand-clasp as well as material help in adversity and generally are rendering that unknown and uncountable human service without which this depression would be ten times blacker. They deserve the laurel. And the \$10,000 is a very practical and timely help to the city's charity funds.

The Bok Award, as all should know, was established by the late Edward W. Bok, useful citizen of Philadelphia and the nation, to reward each year the man or woman of his home city who had "performed an act or contributed a service best calculated to advance the best and largest interests of the community." Its best known recent recipient is Mr. McGillicuddy of the Athletics.

This year's use of the award impresses us reflects the Cleveland Plain Dealer as one that would have been especially pleasing to Mr. Bok, who was an idealist with an intensely practical turn of mind.

POLITICS

It is not important who first arrived at the momentous decision—President Hoover or Speaker Garner—but rather how well they work together toward this proposed reorganization of the federal machinery along economy lines. Both the Republican administration and the Democratic majority in the house may be sincere in their intentions to pare government costs to the bone, but if they work at loggerheads little benefit for the taxpayer is likely to come from the effort. The scheme will collapse if either side starts to play politics with it.

Speaker Garner will name a committee in the house to study the situation and draft a plan of reorganization. President Hoover already has his plan. He would concentrate executive functions in the hands of single officials and the advisory functions in boards or commissions. For example, all public works would be under a public works administrator instead of under the supervision of their related bureaus or departments. A single personnel director would direct the hiring and firing.

The president wants congress to delegate to him the authority to make these changes and to carry on the reorganization work in his own way. The Democrats are likely to think that this is asking a lot from a Democratic majority in the house, especially in a presidential year.

GARDEN TIME

Poets and philosophers tell of the satisfaction obtained from cultivation of flower and vegetable gardens, but the practice is not as general as could be wished. In many places there is much less gardening than there was some years ago. People have too many things they want to do with their spare time.

In many cities and towns, however, the garden movement has been pushed as a community proposition. People have been urged, in a systematic way, to decorate their grounds with handsome shrubbery and flowers, and some of these communities have developed an amazing amount of this beautification.

Such towns become noted, and every minute of time put in on those flower beds is no doubt paid for in the higher value of real estate that is established in such a town.

Home pride is the motive that can best be relied upon to promote the gardening movement. People will usually do what their neighbors do. If you persuade one or two influential families on a street to spend a little more time and money beautifying their places this season, the majority of their neighbors would, within a year or two, fall into line and do the same thing.

As respects vegetables, the advantage of the back yard garden ought to be obvious in these times. The children of the modern community do not have enough share in the home tasks, and it would do them good to have some regular labors in a garden and they could well do a good deal of its work. But the old folks cannot expect them thus to labor unless they also are willing to do some stunts with the spade and hoe.

REACTIONS TO THE STIMSON NOTE

Speaking generally, the effect of the open letter of the secretary of state to Senator Borah has been very definite. Its strength lies, not in threats of hostile action, but in the warning that Japan can not expect to have any agreements, made in defiance of the Nine Power Treaty and the Kellogg Pact, recognized by this government as legally binding. The leaders of both parties praise the form and content of the statement, and there is no question that public sentiment throughout the nation is pretty near harmonious on this point. Mr. Stimson has thus given the United States the leading role in an important international drama.

Naturally there is resentment in Tokio, and the government again endeavors to defend its course as legally correct. Nevertheless it is easy to see that the American attitude is disturbing. Whether the hope of the secretary that the other Powers will follow our lead will be realized it is soon to say. The British government, from which he must have expected the fullest support, is disappointingly lukewarm. It is true that many grave national problems are to be considered, but that is hardly an excuse for the rather weak assertion that Great Britain has already made her views clear, and that Japan has promised to be good. It is altogether likely that if Sir Austen Chamberlain were now foreign secretary in place of Sir John Simon a stronger attitude would have been taken. Perhaps Sir John's fine legal mind is a little too fine, opines the Inquirer of Philadelphia. Perhaps, too, the prime minister has his head too much among the clouds.

But the Japanese government has received some good advice from its ambassador at Washington which may help to neutralize the hesitation or timidity of the European Powers. In an interview published in an influential Japanese journal he has said plainly that American sentiment everywhere is turning against Japan; and another journal declares that the fear lest the League of Nations vote an economic boycott is not wholly imaginary. There is significance in the fact that these utterances have not been "deleted by the censor." It may well be that the government is getting ready to save its face by yielding to pressure in the name of international harmony.

All Of Us

Just a Broken Shoe Lace
You Can't Remember it
Shame on You!

By MARSHALL MASLIN

Putting on your shoes in a hurry in the morning you break a lace. What a nuisance! Even if you had some extra shoe laces around the place you wouldn't have time to change them now. So you take the ragged ends and knot them together and push the ends out of sight and away you go. Sometimes during the day you'll get a shine and have the laces changed or you'll stop in and buy TWO pairs of shoe laces and hereafter you'll be ready for these emergencies.

(Imagine a day going by, helter-skelter, flippity-flop!)

But you forget and—

That night you can't loosen your shoe laces. They're tightly tied at the top and you wriggle your foot painfully out of the shoe, swearing to buy those new laces the very next day.

In the morning you make those good resolutions all over again. To be sure you could wear another pair of shoes but you wouldn't get new laces if you did that. You'll wear these and they'll remind you.

(Another day sneaks by, with its tail between its legs.)

That night you are furious with yourself.

You let another day go by without buying those shoe laces. You ought to be ashamed. You're a scatter-brain. You're a failure. One would think that any ordinary intelligent human being could remember to buy a pair of shoe laces when he needed them.

But you can't seem to do it. You must be weak-minded. If people knew what you were really like they'd laugh at you as you passed by. Children on the street would cry "Shame, shame, piper-shame!" at you. A grown-up who can even remember to buy shoe laces when he needs them!

How can you expect to have any character at all? How can you ever expect to get along in this world? How'll you ever do any big things if you can't remember a Little Thing Like That?

You're a proud man. You're an able fellow. You do your job well. You know a lot don't you? You can explain the theory of relativity. You know what makes stocks go up and stocks go down. You know why the leaves are green in summer and golden in the fall. Your children respect you and your wife isn't sorry she married you.

But you never can remember to buy a new pair of shoe laces on the very day you broke the old ones. You're just like all the rest of us. Make a note of that and try to remember it... put that into your pipe and smoke it.

Just Folks

By EDGAR A. GUEST

FEBRUARY TWENTY-NINE

"I've lived for forty years," said he. "And yet I'm only ten." No second birthday came to me."

Said I: "Say that again!" And solemly he said to me: "I never have been twenty-three!"

"I have been four years old I know. But never five or six. Though birthdays yearly come and go."

I'm in a curious fix. I had to leap from four to eight without a chance to celebrate.

"One birthday in the 'teens I had. The sixteenth, I recall. Then jumped to twenty, though my dad had known them one and all. 'I'm forty on this very date. But never have been thirty-eight."

Said I: "I think it very queer. Can you explain to men how you have reached your fortieth year?"

By birthdays only ten?" He answered: "Here's my natal line: Born, February twenty-nine."

"I think it very queer. Can you explain to men how you have reached your fortieth year?"

For the cheerful grin will let you in where the kicker is never known."

"Well, if I could have a moment's peace I would sit down and write that check you've been bothering me for."

"Children, go upstairs at once! And if I hear another word from you tonight, I'll punish you severely," said the stern mother.

No matter how talkative Money Becomes To Many of The Town Folks It Has Little to Say.

"Smile and the world smiles with you. Kick and you kick alone. For the cheerful grin will let you in where the kicker is never known."

"When a girl returning from a dance says, 'I don't want to seem conceited or anything, dear, but, honestly, I spent the entire evening on the floor,' she doesn't mean the liquor was that unreliable."

"With the advent of the woman politician there is no more petty politics. Now it might be called pietistic politics, if the term were not so highly obsolete. Slip-on—Yeh, that's the word."

"A physician says Congressmen are overworking. There are a few harder jobs than keeping one's ear on the ground while sitting on a fence."

Adequate armament can protect Americans against all dangerous enemies except Wall street bears.

But what are Mellon's millions worth if they can't keep him away from clammy London in mid-winter?

It's a Mistake To Try To Get the Wishbone To Do The Work That Was Mapped Out By Nature For the Backbone.

Nice weather in the winter time is always responsible for a lot of sickness because people get careless about dressing for the changing temperature. People dress right when the weather is cold and thus protect their health.

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Radio crooning is referred to as a "distorted type of singing." It's all of a sort.

They have not a desire to eat and sleep at your expense.

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Give them a fair chance and be helpful in suggesting openings and don't make life any harder by your criticisms.

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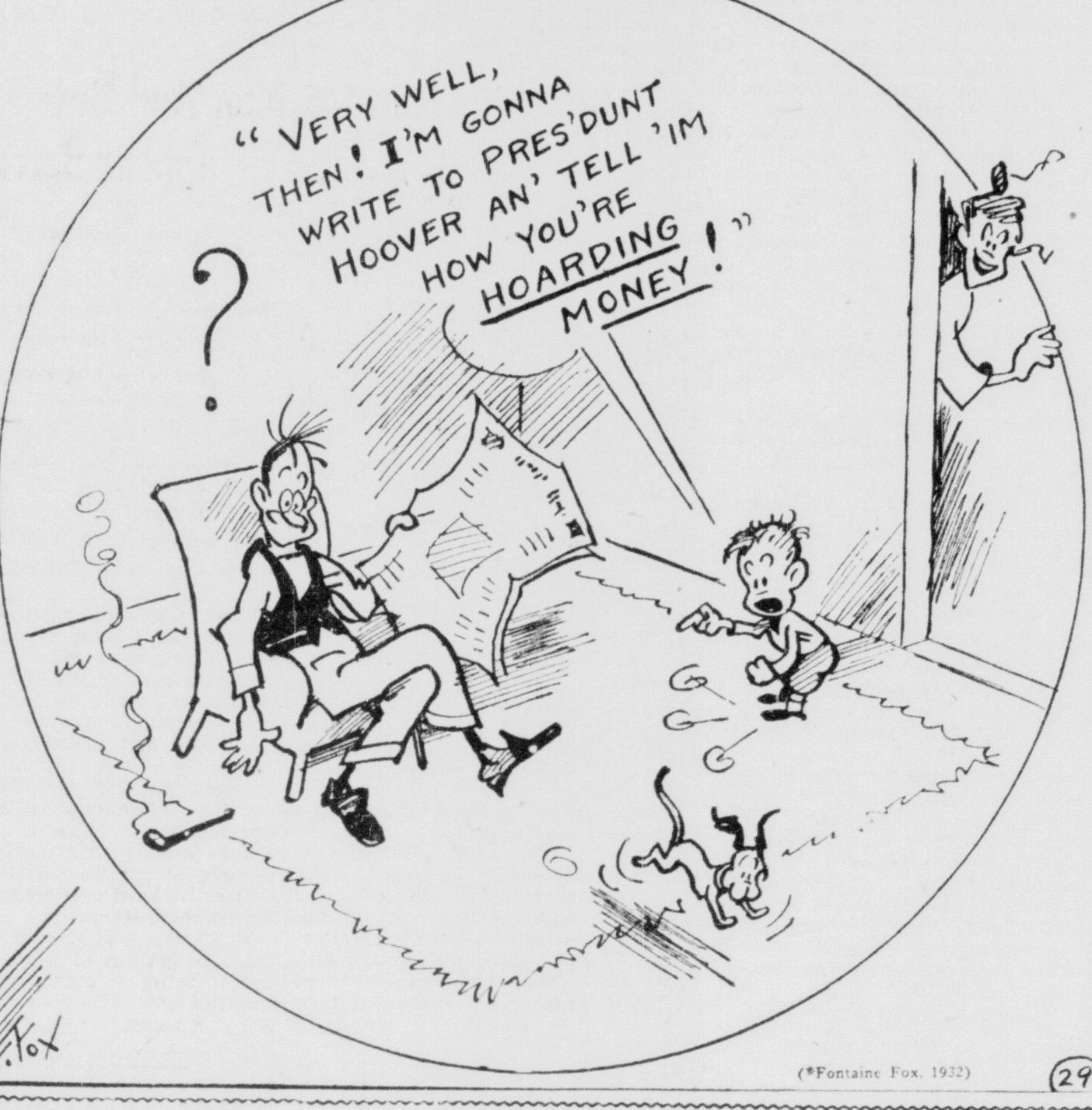
"I ain't got no money now," replied Sam, "but I'm goin' to pay it soon as I kin."

"Yo' been sayin' that fer months,"

Toonerville Folks.

By FONTAIN FOX

THE FINAL PUSH IN THE DETERMINED DRIVE TO GET FIFTY CENTS TO BUY A LIVE TURTLE.



Hints and Dints

Sun sets tonight 5:50; sun rises tomorrow 6:35.

An actress says in order for a woman to be happy she should marry a comedian. Many women do marry jokers and it doesn't make them happy. People who laugh do not have time to fight.

The Girls of Today Seem To Worry More About What They Wear Than They Do About Too Much Baking Powder or Not Enough Shortenin'

Some birds are all right just as long as things come easy for their convenience and pleasure, but when real brains and real work has to be done they call on those who can do it.

GLOOM CHASERS

"Is it possible, my dear, that you cannot keep those children quiet for a moment?" said friend husband. "Now, John, don't be harsh with the poor little things," said wife, soothingly. "It's natural for them to be full of spirit, and they're doing the best they can."

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The great political need of the moment is a nice, catchy word to take the place of "dole."

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A darky named Sam borrowed \$25 from his friend Tom, and gave his note for the amount.

Time went on, the note became long past due, and Tom was very impatient for its payment.

One day the two men met on the street. Tom stopped and said, with determination: "Look yeah, man, when an' all gwine t' pay that note?"

The supreme court of Ohio has ruled that the serving of cracked ice and gingerale in hotels and public places cannot be construed as helping to violate the prohibition laws. That may be, but very few

Cocktails make a bore seem witty and charming—if you drink the cocktails.

TEN-SECOND TALKIES

Frank Orsatti:—What sort of a fellow is that bootlegger?

Myrt Blum:—Oh, he's all right in his place, but his place is always being raided.

Disarmament conference: Representatives of official hypocrisy meeting to distrust one another.

The white man

VICTOR

The Show Place of New Castle

LAST 2 DAYS

NOW PLAYING

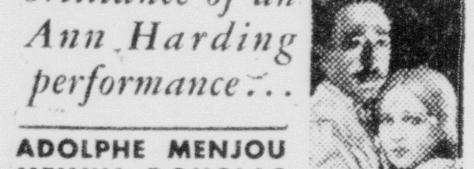
SHE FOUND THE MEANING OF LOVE IN SACRIFICE...

Men sought her...but she sought her man...though mountains and oceans separated them...



Ann HARDING in PRESTIGE

Glorious drama pitched to the brilliance of an Ann Harding performance...



ADOLPHE MENJOU MELVIN DOUGLAS

COMING WEDNESDAY

Helen Twelvetrees

In

"BAD COMPANY"

With

RICADOR CORTEZ

About 400 Out
At Senior High

Many Students Are Absent At High School On Account Of Illness

Principal F. L. Orth stated this morning that about 400 students are absent from school due to illness. Most of the pupils have an attack of influenza. Last Friday there were about the same number absent.

ARE HOLDING COURT AT OTHER PLACES

Judge R. L. Hildebrand and Judges James A. Chambers are again holding court out of the county today. Judge Hildebrand is at Butler and Judge Chambers is at Pittsburgh. Both judges were at the same places a part of last week.

STATE

MILL AND LONG ADMISSION:

Adults 25c Children 10c

Today and Tomorrow

THE AGE FOR LOVE

with Billie Dove, Charles Starrett and Mary Duncan

Continuous 1 to 11 P. M.

Bargain Matinee Today 10c.

DOME THEATRE

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Watch for Opening Date

ADMISSION: 10c AND 15c

In Religious And Fraternal Circles

Epworth Methodist Church

The Maxwell circle will meet this evening at the home of Margaret Williams, Neshannock avenue.

The Superior street unit of the guild will meet this evening at 7:30 in the home of Mrs. G. E. Seal, East Washington street.

Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock the Weaver Circle will meet in the primary room of the church. This meeting is a change of date from the previous schedule.

The Lincoln avenue unit of the guild will have a silver tea at the home of Mrs. W. D. Stitzinger, Boyles avenue, Tuesday from 2:30 to 5 p. m.

Thursday evening at 6:45 the combined junior and intermediate choirs will meet for rehearsal and all those who want to sing in the Easter music will be present at this time.

The Ladies' Aid society will meet Wednesday all day in the church for work.

The Wednesday evening prayer service will be omitted this week on account of the Billy Sunday meeting in the cathedral.

Class Meets

Miss Mildred Connerly, Maryland avenue was hostess to the members of "The Lord's Workers" class of the Church of the Nazarene, Saturday afternoon from 2 to 4:30.

The early part of the afternoon was given over to business after which games were played and a dainty lunch was served by Mrs. Jackos, and Mrs. Connerly.

Special guests were Delores Martin, Shirley and Ada May Jackson.

Women's Relief Corps

Members of the Women's Relief Corps 11 will meet Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock in the City Building.

Church Of The Nazarene

The King's Daughters will meet this evening at 8 o'clock in the home of Mrs. W. W. Walls, 18 Round street.

The choir will meet Tuesday evening in the church.

The Wednesday evening service has been dispensed with on account of the cathedral meeting.

Thursday afternoon there will be a prayer and fasting service in the parsonage from 2 to 4 and the Women's Missionary Society will meet Thursday evening at 7 in the church.

Friday at 7:30 the northside prayer group will meet at the home of W. G. McKnight, Coaltown; the east side at the home of Mrs. D. C. Graham, 3629 rear East Washington street, and the west side at the home of Mrs. Wayne Church, Smithfield street.

Saturday evening the orchestra will practice at the home of Victor Rice and the Men's Bible class will meet in the church at 7:30.

Class Postponed

The Tau Delta Class meeting of the Epworth Methodist church, scheduled for Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock in the church, has been postponed on account of sickness.

Central Christian

The O. B. A. class will meet Tuesday evening at the home of Frances Gibson, 1013 Cunningham avenue.

The Dorcas class will meet at the home of Mrs. Harry Crichlow, South Mill street, Thursday evening.

Daniel Leasure Auxiliary

The Daniel Leasure Auxiliary No. 52 will meet Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Legion Home on North Jefferson street. A full attendance is desired.

St. John's Lutheran

Tuesday evening the mission study class will have its concluding session at the home of Miss Mary Reifer, Park avenue.

The Luther league will meet Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in the church and the regular monthly meeting of the church council will be held at the same time.

Wednesday evening the Victory Bible class will have its regular monthly session at the home of Stela Diefenderfer, Logan street.

The Lenten service will be held Thursday evening at 8 o'clock instead of Wednesday evening, on account of the Sunday meeting.

Friday at 4:30 p. m. the catechetical class will meet and Saturday at 1 o'clock the junior choir will meet.

First Pentecostal Church

The men's prayer service will be held this evening at 7:30 in the church.

Tuesday evening the ladies' prayer service will be held at 7:30 in the church.

The Wednesday evening service has been dispensed with in order that the congregation may attend the Billy Sunday service in the cathedral.

Thursday evening the congregational prayer service will be held.

Thursday at 2:30 the prayer group will meet at the home of Mrs. Frances Hyler, 2203 Andrews street.

Friday evening the young people of the congregation will meet at 7:30 with a Bible study in charge of Mrs. Olive Kellner, the subject to be "The Ministry of Christ".

Saturday evening there will be a men's prayer meeting at 7:30.

Croton Methodist Church

A large congregation heard Mrs. John Wink and Mrs. Avery Rigby and their guitars Sunday evening, when they sang at the service in the Croton Avenue Methodist church.

There were also special numbers by the choir, under the direction of Mrs. A. C. Bernard. Rev. C. S. Joshua preached an evangelistic sermon on "The Son of Man Coming to Save Men."

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Thursday at 8 o'clock there will be German Lenten services with Rev. J. Finkbeiner of the Emmanuel Evangelical church as the guest speaker.

Friday at 7 o'clock the Boy Scouts meet and at 8 the senior choir.

Calvary Presbyterian

Tuesday at 4:15 there will be junior church and at 7:30 there will be a class in teacher training, after which the regular monthly meeting of the Women's Bible class will be held.

Wednesday evening a gospel chalk talk. The Wednesday evening service will be dispensed with on account of the "Billy Sunday" meeting in the cathedral.

The Ladies' Aid society will meet at the church Thursday afternoon at 2 p. m. Mrs. C. G. Johnston will be the guest speaker.

Friday evening at 7 o'clock the Happy Hour will be held for boys and girls.

Trinity Church

Tuesday, 4:30 p. m., service and address for all, especially young people and children. Junior choir, Mrs. George Westlake organist. 6:30 p. m., Cub Scouts, Guild room. Eight p. m., Earnest Workers, Guild room, including rehearsal for evening of April 5th.

Wednesday, eight p. m., penitentiary office and address by Brother Gouvernor P. Hance, Superior, S. B. B.

Thursday, 2:30 p. m., Woman's Auxiliary, Guild room, regular monthly business meeting. All of the women of the parish invited. Seven p. m., troop 55, Boy Scouts, Guild room.

Friday, eight p. m., choir rehearsal, Guild room.

Section Meeting

Section F of the Y. L. B. class of the Third United Presbyterian church will meet Thursday evening in the upper room of the church.

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Central Presbyterian

The S. D. Girls will present a missionary playlet Tuesday evening in the church.

There will be no prayer service on Wednesday evening on account of the Billy Sunday meeting in the cathedral.

Philathena missionary society will meet Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. John Atkinson, 714 Emerson avenue.

The Every Member canvass will be held Sunday March 13, but preliminary subscriptions will be taken on Sunday, March 6.

Mission Study

The concluding mission study session of the Women's Missionary Society of St. John's Lutheran church will be held Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Mary Riffer, 316 Park avenue.

Mrs. C. W. Herman Hess is the teacher of the class.

Missionary Meeting

Thursday evening the Women's Home Missionary Society of the Epworth Methodist church will entertain in the church at 8 o'clock with a play "The Red-Headed Step-Child" which will be produced by twelve members of the Mahoning Methodist church.

Baldwin Bible Class

Members of the Baldwin Bible class of the Highland United Presbyterian church will have their annual tureen dinner and election of officers in the church dining room Thursday evening, with dinner served at 6 o'clock.

The Luther League will have a business meeting Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

First Christian Church

Members of the First Christian Section One will have a tureen luncheon Wednesday at one o'clock in the home of Mrs. G. S. Bennett, 322 Park avenue.

The Women's Missionary Society will meet Friday at 2:30 in the church with Mrs. W. W. Perry as the leader.

Simpson Methodist

Rev. H. L. Johnson, pastor of the Simpson Methodist church, announces that revival services will be held in his church on Liberty street, each evening this week.

Rev. A. Shaffer delivered the evangelistic sermon Sunday evening and there was special musical numbers. This evening the pastor will preach, and throughout the week local ministers will aid.

Meeting Postponed.

On account of illness the meeting of Section C of the Third U. P. church has been postponed from Thursday of this week to an indefinite date. The meeting was to be held at the same time.

The A. B. D. Girls will meet Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. Harold Pye, 421 Winter avenue.

The Patterson Circle will meet Tuesday evening at 8 in the home of Rhoda Leslie, 808 Court street.

The Dorcas society will have the annual election of officers Saturday at 2:30 in the church.

Tickets for Church

The members of the Highland U. P. church may get tickets for the Billy Sunday meeting in the cathedral, at the Y. M. C. A. In some inadvertent manner these tickets were not delivered to the church in time for distribution Sunday.

First Presbyterian

The trustees will meet Tuesday evening at 7:30 in the church parlors and the Mizpah society will also meet in the church at 7:30.

The A. B. D. Girls will meet Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. Harold Pye, 421 Winter avenue.

The Patterson Circle will meet Tuesday evening at 8 in the home of Jack Ward, Superior St., New Castle.

Boyle Sustains Chin Laceration In Crash

Two Are Arrested On Highway

By Patrolman

Sarko

John Boyle, Foch street, Ellwood City, according to State Highway Patrol Corporal Lawton received a chin laceration Saturday night when the car of Jack Ward, Superior St., New Castle and Boyle's car figured in an accident along the Ellwood City-New Castle highway. After the cars collided Boyle's auto overturned.

Patrolman Sarko arrested Michael Hura and Paul Burke, Coropolis, Pa. on a charge of disorderly conduct while they were in a car on the New Castle-New Bedford road and after a hearing by Alderman Marshall were sentenced to 15 days in the county jail in default of a fine.

Drat the luck! Now that a dollar is worth \$1.25, the man without a dollar is two bits worse than broke.

The Wednesday evening prayer service has been dispensed with on account of the Billy Sunday meeting in the cathedral.

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"Mr. Arliss' study is one of brilliancy and power adding still another distinguished portrait to the gallery of a distinguished artist."—Harold Cohen—Post-Gazette.

PENN All This Week NO ADVANCE IN PRICES

STOLEN WATCH IS RECOVERED BY POLICE OFFICERS

Charles Hunter reported to police Saturday for T. B. Cowan who conducts a picture establishment on East Washington street near the Book Shoe store that a watch used in timing the making of prints at that place was stolen. A seventeen year old girl, who had been in the place was suspected and Officers Harper and Dukes on investigation found the watch in this girl's possession. The owner of the watch did not care to prosecute in the case and the girl was allowed to go.

AT VETS' REUNION County Detective H. M. "Peek" Lee and Clinton "Rube" Carroll, this city participated Sunday in a reunion at Beaver Falls of ex-service men who served the 28th division machine gun corps, 10th regiment, during the World War.

Twenty five ex-soldiers from Harrisburg, Philadelphia and points in this vicinity attended. The affair occurred in the Elks Club.

GET BOWLING CUP Word reaching here today said the Beaver Falls Kiwanians trounced the South Hills Kiwanians by a margin of 70 pins in a district bowling match that featured last week's get-together at Mt. Lebanon. New Castle Kiwanians participated.

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Cambria County Slayer Dies In Electric Chair

Slayer of Wife In Cambria
County Pays With Life
At Rockview

GOES TO DEATH
WITHOUT MURMUR

(International News Service)
ROCKVIEW PENITENTIARY,
BELLEVILLE, Pa., Feb. 29.—Joseph Roman, Cambria county slayer, today paid with his life in Rockview's electric chair for the fatal shot he fired into his wife's body in a vengeance seeking fit of rage.

Guards strapped him into the electric chair at 7:01 o'clock this morning. At 7:02 the current sent his straining form lurching against his bonds. Four minutes later Dr. W. A. Barrett, prison physician pronounced him officially dead.

No one claimed Roman's body and he will be buried in the state's burial plot near the penitentiary.

Roman shuffled into the death chamber a glum and melancholy figure. His eyes were fixed and staring. He made no late minute comment over the decree of the state that he forfeit his life for that of his wife, Martha. Roman shot and killed his wife at Ambry on May 7 last after serving a 30-day jail sentence on a charge of desertion and non-support preferred by Mrs. Roman.

MT. JACKSON

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shearer and sons Chester and Carl were callers in Slippery Rock Thursday evening. Mrs. J. E. Greer and Mrs. T. E. Gilkey of New Galilee were the guests of Mrs. W. S. Caskey Thursday.

Mrs. Jessie Hartley is spending a

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few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Taylor of Enon Valley. Dick Thompson, Junior, is numbered among the sick.

Little Eleanor Pitts is confined to her home with illness.

Mrs. H. H. Knox was a recent guest of Mrs. John Brydon of Slippery Rock.

Mrs. Carl Swisher and family of Hillsboro were recent visitors at the home of her mother, Mrs. Harriet Lusk.

Miss Jennie Harman was a New Castle shopper Friday.

Jealousy Causes Fifty-Year Term For Chicago Man

Man Pleads Guilty To Murder
By Arson And Gets Fifty
Year Sentence

(International News Service)
CHICAGO, Feb. 29.—Jealousy sent a man to prison for fifty years here Saturday.

Henry Thompson, 31, received the sentence from criminal judge Walter T. Stanton, when he pleaded guilty to two charges of murder by arson.

Thompson confessed hiring Siro Angelo to set fire to the home of Audrey Lay, when overcome by jealousy and anger because Mrs. May Boehm left his home for Lay's. Mrs. Boehm's 5-year-old daughter, Doris, and Lay were burned to death in the blaze.

Kaiser Suffering Throat Disease

Report Former German Ruler
Suffering From Cancer
Of Throat

(International News Service)
DOOR, Holland, Feb. 29—Doorhouse, home of exiled Kaiser Wilhelm II of Germany, denied to International News Service Saturday that the former emperor was suffering from cancer of the throat.

"The Kaiser's health is all right," attaches said. "He is taking his daily walks regularly."

Reports from Berlin stated there had been persistent rumors that the kaiser suffered from the disease which it was pointed out caused the death of his father and sister.

Plater, self-styled doctor, said he was certain his associations with the American Friendship Society through which Powers met his victims, had nothing to do with his kidnapping and robbery. Police reported Plater's automobile in which he was abducted, had been partially destroyed by fire and the license plates removed.

"A man forced me to drive away when I started in the driveway of my home last night," Plater said.

Plater said he was robbed of his \$400 fraternal ring, and his watch.

Plater revealed to police he had received two threatening telephone calls and a typewritten threat.

Roosevelt Signs Main Budget Bill

Governor Roosevelt Signs Bill
For \$272,000,000 For
Governmental Support

(International News Service)
ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 29.—Governor Roosevelt signed the Main budget bill Saturday appropriating approximately \$272,000,000 for the support of the state government during the next fiscal year.

The executive scored the Republican legislative leader for reducing the budget by \$21,000,000.

Roosevelt was particularly aroused because the Republicans reduced the appropriations for highways, parks and parks to the tune of \$17,000,000. He said this would prevent thousands of men from securing employment this summer.

If you have catarrhal deafness or head noises due to catarrh go to New Castle Drug. Eckerd's City Pharmacy. Your druggist will give you 1 oz. of Paracetamol (dissolve in water), and add to it 1/2 oz. of hot water and little sugar. Take a tablespoonful four times a day. This will often bring quick relief.

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AUTOS A BOON TO TAXPAYERS, IN CHICAGO AT LEAST

Motorists Find They Can Make
Charge Offs On In-
come Tax

(International News Service)
CHICAGO, Feb. 29.—Motorists who are making out their income tax returns these days will be glad to know that they have six chances to make deductions.

Registration fees paid the state, city vehicle taxes, and personal property taxes paid on an automobile, all are deductible.

The total paid out in gasoline taxes during the year, may be deducted in those states where the law has been construed to make it a consumer tax. This is the case in Illinois.

Interest on money borrowed to purchase an automobile likewise is a deductible item. In the case of financing charges, only that portion of the charges which represents actual interest on the loan, may be taken out. Additional charges for insurance may not be considered.

Uncompensated losses either by reason of damage to the taxpayer's automobile or to another person or his car or property, may be deducted, if such losses are not caused by the wilful act or negligence of the taxpayer.

Former Detroit
Marriage Market
Head Is Robbed

Albert B. Plater, Former Co-
Sponsor Of Mail Order
Marriages, Robbed

(International News Service)

DETROIT, Feb. 29.—Albert B. Plater, 42, former co-sponsor of the mail order marriage society which resulted in "Blue Beard" Harry Powers meeting the women he later killed, was found semi-conscious and robbed in a ditch near New Baltimore, Mich., Saturday.

Plater, self-styled doctor, said he was certain his associations with the American Friendship Society through which Powers met his victims, had nothing to do with his kidnapping and robbery. Police reported Plater's automobile in which he was abducted, had been partially destroyed by fire and the license plates removed.

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Plater said he was robbed of his \$400 fraternal ring, and his watch.

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COLLEGE PRESIDENT
SPEAKS IN CHURCH

Dr. R. F. Gilbreath, president of Westminster college spoke from the pulpit of the First U. P. church, Clemmons boulevard, Sunday evening, in the place of the pastor, Dr. S. E. Irvine, who was confined to his Highland avenue home by illness.

If Your Ears Ring With Head Noises

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Sylvester Conti of 1502 Hamilton street on Saturday evening reported to the police that his Essex car, Pennsylvania license BD335, had been stolen while parked in front of 836 Lathrop street.

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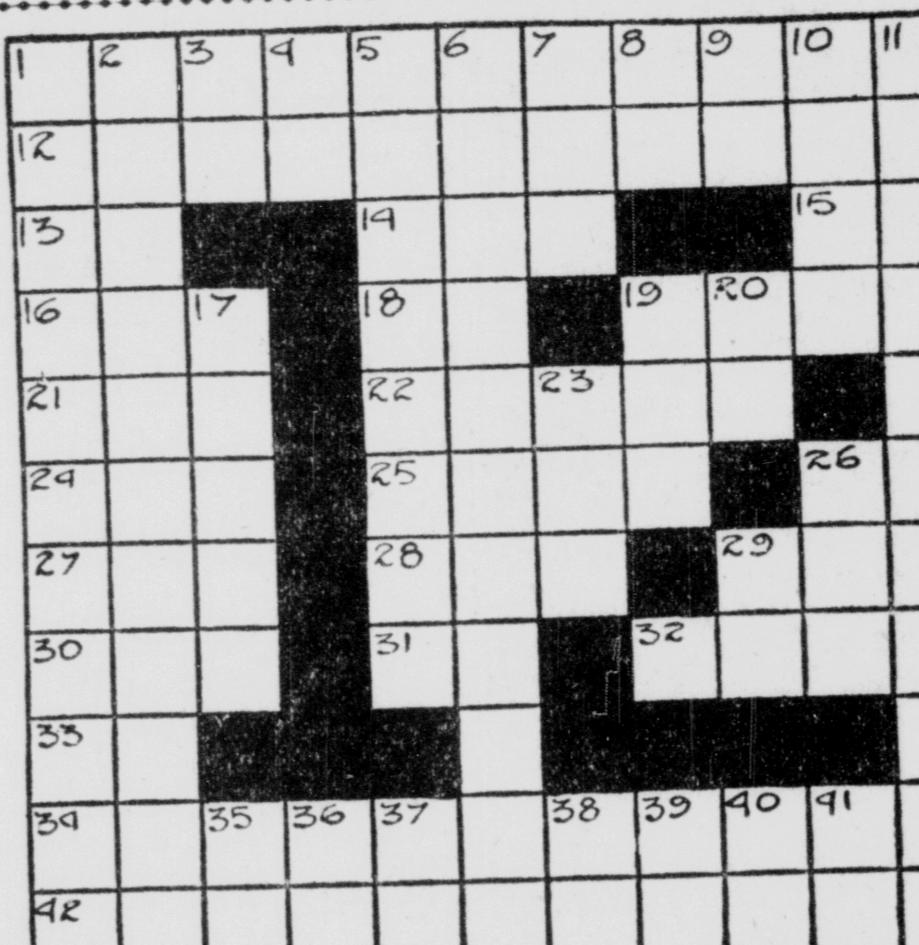
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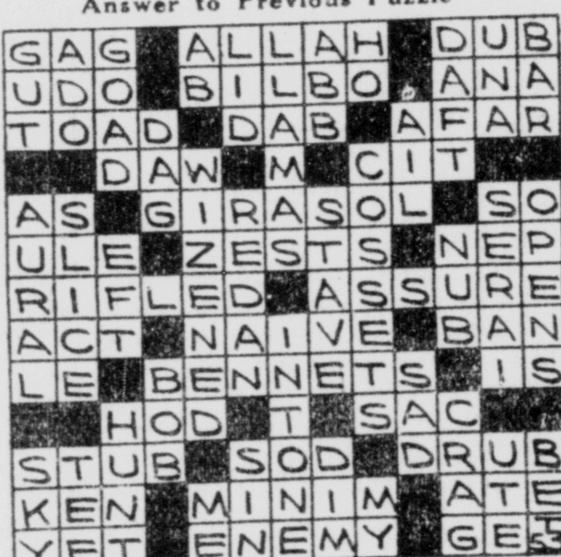
News Daily Cross Word Puzzle



ACROSS

- 1 Ceremonial dances of Indian tribes
- 2 Kind of cartridge
- 3 Article
- 4 Lieutenant (abbr.)
- 5 Grassy plains
- 6 Person with craze for drink
- 7 Rear part of a ship
- 8 Greek letter
- 9 Centigram (abbr.)
- 10 Comfort
- 11 Abject submision
- 12 Beaches
- 13 Novel by Kipling
- 14 Fortified Russian city
- 21 In Cuneo province, Italy
- 22 Kind of sap
- 23 Rested
- 24 Forbid
- 25 Turkish official
- 26 Conjunctive adverb
- 27 Doctor of laws
- 28 Consume
- 29 A tree
- 30 Conditional objections
- 31 Tin (chem.)
- 32 So be it
- 33 Nickel (chem.)
- 34 Students of language construction
- 35 Metric measure of area
- 36 Note of scale
- 37 Suffix indicating leaves into which a sheet is folded
- 38 Royal Order (abbr.)
- 39 I exist (contr.)
- 40 Three-toed sloth
- 41 Southern state
- 42 Things alike grave and funny

Answer to Previous Puzzle



DOWN

Random writings

finished lumber product. It calls attention to the fact that the Pittsburgh & Erie and Pittsburgh & Cleveland railroads will pass through or near the properties offered for sale; also that New Castle has a population of 4,000 and its manufacturing plants turn out products valued at more than half a million dollars a year. It also calls attention to the fact that there was just completed in the year previous within the borough limits of New Castle one of the finest schools in the state. The sale was conducted by A. L. and C. W. Crawford.

NO TUBERCULAR

CATTLE IN COUNTY

Lawrence county is one of seven in the state of Pennsylvania where there are no tubercular cattle, according to Dr. W. L. Steen, health officer for the city.

The health officer made the statement today when asked if all cattle here had been tested. He said that cattle having been found to have tubercular have been disposed of.

Why do school authorities hold to such foolish and unjust practices? They ought to have enough ingenuity to work out a program which will prevent undesirable absences and still allow for practical adaptation to reasonable situations which

LOOKING BACK

IN NEW CASTLE

Speaking of those things that cause you to pause and look back into the happenings of yesterday, Mrs. I. W. Miller of 319 Sampson street, found an old sale bill that recalls memories that are known to but few residents of the city today. The sale bill was issued September 11, 1852, from the office of the New Castle Gazette and announces that the sale will be held Thursday, Oct. 7, 1852. The offerings for sale on that date include a two-story sawmill, 30 by 70 feet in size, and equipped with all necessary machinery; a one-fourth interest in the water power right of the Shenango and Neshannock rivers subject to supplying the canal, which it is mentioned as being of little effect on the actual power involved; and one hundred building and outlots as they were designated. The bill sets forth that the purchaser will be no expense in keeping up the dam and that there will be every facility for rafting the logs to the plant and for shipping

the chief of the Tete de Boule Indians of Quebec, Canada, wears an American Civil War uniform instead of blankets and feathers

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Judge Parker May Enter Race Alone

Republican State Organization May Forsake Judge Parker For Standard

Conference Held In Philadelphia, But Nothing definite Is Decided Upon

(International News Service) — PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 29.—Political dopesters here today were discussing the report that Judge William M. Parker of Venango county, recently appointed to the superior court bench by Gov. Gifford Pinchot, may be forced to wage a primary campaign without the support of the Republican state organization and the political interests of Allegheny and Philadelphia counties.

This report came as an aftermath of a four-hour conference of party chieftains here last night.

Nothing Decided.

General Edward Martin, chairman of the Republican state committee, presided at the conference. He issued a statement setting forth that nothing had been decided. But in other quarters it was learned an effort is being made to placate Allegheny county by supporting Superior Court Judge Joseph Stadfeld at the expense of Judge Parker.

Judge Stadfeld also was appointed to the appellate bench by Governor Pinchot.

It was said that Allegheny county leaders have been given several days to make up their minds whether they will support the entire organization ticket provided it carried the name of Judge Stadfeld.

May Oppose Baldwin. Leaders of the Allegheny county group for several weeks have been threatening to put into the field a candidate to oppose Senator Frank E. Baldwin of Potter county, the organization choice for auditor general.

The final decision is believed to rest with William S. Vare. A second conference, however, will be held within a few days.

Yesterday's conference was attended by William D. Mansfield, Edward R. Crawford and Walter A. Bonitz of Allegheny county, James M. Hazlett, Gen. W. W. Atterbury and Sheriff Richard Weglein of Philadelphia, besides Gen. Martin Lieut. Gov. Edward Shannon, State Senator John J. McClure of Delaware county, State Senator Harry B. Scott of Center county and A. Boyd Hamilton.

Police Clear Up Several Robberies Occuring Recently

Confessions Are Secured, Which Clear Up Several Existing Cases

Though the efforts of Detective John Young and Officers John Moore and Thomas Lynch, several robberies have been cleared up and already pleas of guilty have been entered in a number of the cases in which robberies were reported.

Harry Isaacs and David Barkett arrested over the week end on suspicion of having been connected with

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Gibbons Says That Sino-Japanese Fuss Is Going To "Dogs"

Kellogg Pact Keeps Japan From Declaring War On China, Is As-sertion

Kidnapping Of Chinese General By Japanese Kicks Up Rumpus

By FLOYD GIBBONS
International News Service Staff Correspondent
(Copyright, 1932, By International News Service)

SHANGHAI, Feb. 29.—7:57 p. m.—Hello everybody!

This here Shanghai unpleasantness is rapidly going to the dogs and to the gangsters.

And it's all on account of Mr. Kellogg and that little paper he invented the nice Japanese boys to sign on the dotted line.

He sold them that pact by which they agreed not to declare war and to the Japanese that was just as much of a sacrifice as if an American prohibitionist agreed tomorrow never again to declare America dry. So for that reason Japan is not at war, the presumption being that her army, navy and air forces were only engaged in peaceful maneuvers around Shanghai but every day new kinks arise in this Kellogg tangle.

General Looks Around

Several days ago a well known Chinese general, and a West Point graduate at that, was found snooping around the Japanese zone in the international settlement.

There being no war on between the Japanese and Chinese, he of course had a perfect right to look around the Japanese lines and locate a nice ammunition dump or a well-occupied barracks in which the guns of his brigade over in Chapei could drop a couple of nice Chinese shells.

The Japanese army people seem to be awfully sensitive about Chinese army officers looking around their camp. They just don't like it. It sort of makes 'em feel uncomfortable in the daytime and disturbs their sleep at night.

So they grabbed General Wang Keng and his suitcase full of Chinese maps, codes and plans. But they have no right to because this is not war and you can't take prisoners of war unless you are right out and out playing war.

(EDITOR'S NOTE: General Wang, officer of the Staff of General Tsai Ting-Kai, was seized in the lobby of the Astor House after he had fled from Japanese sentries who pursued him when he walked into the lobby of the Japanese consulate, which he mistook for the American consulate, which moved several months ago.)

I Kept Prisoner

General Wang pointed that out to the Japanese but they couldn't see it his way at all and so they are keeping him somewhere, if they have not killed him, and the rest of the Chinese army is protesting to all of the foreign consuls in Shanghai about protection of Chinese in the international settlement.

The Chinese claim Wang's capture by the Japanese is plain illegal kidnapping and right there is where this Shanghai unpleasantness is slipping down the line to gangdom.

The Chinese threaten reprisals, not officially, of course, because that would not be diplomatic, but unofficially it's being noised about and not without pride that China and particularly Shanghai is the habitat of

he had conferred with other Chinese officials.

LONDON, Feb. 29.—"Some progress was made toward an understanding" when Japanese and Chinese representatives conferred aboard a British warship at Shanghai last night, the British foreign office was advised today by the Shanghai consulate.

Admiral Sir Howard Kelly offered the use of his flagship, the Kent, as a meeting place when he learned Dr. Wellington Koo and Japanese Consul General Murai were eager for a peace conference.

LONDON, Feb. 29.—Japanese Consul General Murai today warned the Chinese that unless they immediately cease concentrating troops in the Shanghai area, the Japanese will bomb all railway lines leading into Shanghai from Woosung, Nanking and Hangchow, according to an exchange telegraph dispatch from Shanghai.

The Japanese, Murai was told, will destroy the tracks of all roads over which Chinese reinforcements might be brought into the Shanghai area.

The dispatch also reported that Chinese military headquarters claimed a counterattack in today's fighting recovered two miles of lost ground, but did not state in what sector.

The Chinese announced they are still holding all their positions around Woosung despite a fierce daylong bombardment by four Japanese cruisers.

Is Sad Affair

Since the Japanese kidnapping of General Wang, the local Al Capones and "Legs" Diamonds are rapidly changing in public esteem from criminals to patriots who will be candidates for decorations and national acclaim and possible public office as soon as they kidnap General Ueda or Admiral Nomura or any Japanese officials of high rank.

Grizzled old professional soldiers of other nations now here are shedding bitter tears in their tinfoil plates. They hold it shameful that their honorable profession of arms has sunk so low that war has to be fought without declarations and then has to be waged with the assistance of high-binders and kidnappers.

Mr. Kellogg sure started something.

CHINESE MAY AGREE ON TRUCE WITH JAPANESE

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will read to the council the following conditions on which China will agree to halt the fighting:

Basis Of Agreement

First—As a preliminary stage to putting an armistice into effect, the Chinese troops will retire four miles from Shanghai.

Second—The Japanese will withdraw their forces into the international settlement.

Third—Chinese troops will be withdrawn ten miles from Shanghai and Japanese troops will embark and leave the city.

The belief was expressed by optimistic league representatives that a formula could be found whereby the combined American, British, French and Italian forces at Shanghai would intervene between the contending forces as the agreement was being carried through its successive stages and also that the Chinese would not object to the continued presence of the usual number of Japanese marine guards in the settlement.

War Anticipated

Yamaguchi's message to the Japanese foreign office confirmed dispatches carried by International News Service from Berlin, Warsaw and Tokyo during the last two weeks revealing the extent of military preparations in Soviet Russia in anticipation of trouble with Japan.

Last week James R. Young, International News Service correspondent at Tokyo, interviewed a European traveler on his arrival in Tokyo from Vladivostok. Although he declined use of his name, the traveler was such a reliable source of information that his revelations were cabled to New York.

He disclosed that American and European voyagers were being refused visas to Vladivostok and other Siberian cities in order that Soviet troops and military preparations might be kept secret, and revealed in detail the tension felt in Vladivostok and elsewhere over Japan's military activities.

By JOHN GOETTE

International News Service Staff Correspondent

SHANGHAI, Feb. 29.—Quo Tai-Chi, representing the Chinese foreign office arrived here from Nanjing tonight to represent the National government in any further negotiations with the Japanese for a cessation of hostilities.

Quo Tai-Chi brought with him instructions formulated at a conference last night. He would not say what last night would be resumed until

the Chinese Massing Army Of 100,000 Along Manchurian And Korean Borders

WAR IS INEVITABLE JAP OFFICIAL SAYS

(International News Service)

TOKYO, Feb. 29.—In the eyes of the people of Soviet Russia, war with Japan is inevitable, Japanese Consul Yamaguchi at Vladivostok cabled Foreign Minister Kenkichi Yoshida today.

Yamaguchi revealed that approximately 100,000 Soviet troops are now massed along the Manchurian and Korean borders, while two red army corps, consisting of 20,000, have been concentrated at Vladivostok.

Day and night movement of food-stuffs and war materials to the border under way, Yamaguchi declared.

The Russo-Japanese clash is regarded as inevitable, Yamaguchi cabled either because of Japan's encroachment in Manchuria or as a result of the long-standing dispute between Russia and Japan over fishing rights on Soviet waters.

Yamaguchi declared that the Soviets have constructed three new fort along the border. He confirmed previous reports of conversion of Russian factories into war material plants, declaring that an iodine factory just over the border has been equipped for the manufacture of poison gas.

Charles Marousi

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At 1:45 a. m. the fears of Assistant Chief Claire Stockman, who was directing the battle, were partially realized when the north wall of the Capitol theater collapsed with a thunderout report. However, no firemen were hurt. The upper part of the south wall had fallen.

At 11:30 a. m. the north wall started to bulge as the bricks had cooled off. As Assistant Chief Stockman expected there was a crackling noise, then the walls came down.

The report was thundersome. However, no firemen were in the alley and none was injured. Smoke fluttered from the thousands of brick and fears were expressed the front wall might fall.

The front wall, substantial, having been built only a few years ago stood the ravages of fire and the torrential flood of water from several lines of hose.

Charles Marousi

Charles Marousi, manager, and Speer Marousi, treasurer of the company, were in Beaver Falls yesterday, but had returned during the evening. Marousi managed to save some films shortly after the blaze started.

Discover Fire.

Policeman Joe Greer was making his "round" at 10:25 p. m. When he tried the door of Fisher's store on East Washington street he smelled smoke.

The policeman investigated but could not find the source. He tried doors in South Mercer street; when he came to Market alley he gazed toward the rear of the Capitol theater.

Greer Discovers Fire.

Policeman Greer noticed smoke pouring from a place above the side door entrance of the theatre. He walked to the rear of the playhouse and saw flames burst forth.

He immediately called Sergeant David Nelson at police headquarters who notified the Central fire station. Within a few minutes fire-fighting apparatus was "rolling" to the conflagration.

Nelson told the fire authorities that the Capitol was ablaze and had a good start and it appeared to Greer as though the whole block was doomed.

Sounds General Alarm.

Within a few seconds a general alarm was sounded. Every fire-fighting company in the city, excepting No. 7, kept in reserve, arrived at the scene.

Sergeant Nelson had already sent Policeman U. S. Harper and Robert Dukes to South Mercer street and with Policeman Alliger, they stopped all traffic by the time the apparatus arrived.

Fires Broke In Front Of The Capitol.

The lobby was a blanket of smoke. Speer Marousi, treasurer of the amusement company rushed into the lobby and reported smoke from a booth.

The curtain of smoke was so thick one could not see five feet ahead.

Flames burst forth from the rear of the building. The sound of crackling wood could be heard a block.

The flames ate their way in long tongues through the top and sides of the building and it appeared as though the Rescue Mission and Bell Telephone building would catch fire.

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He also said that several hundred dollars, receipts of Saturday's shows remained in the safe and had not been recovered.

"I couldn't see a thing" said Freeman. "I entered the lobby. It was all smoke. I almost choked."

Assistant Fire Chief Claire Stockman, directors of the fire-fighters, regular and volunteer, was asked as to his opinion as to how the blaze may have started.

"Possibly on the stage, then went to the fly door, out through the roof and over the main auditorium" said Stockman. He said the theater was a mass of flames when firemen arrived.

He told how he had directed the fighting of the blaze. Lines were placed from different vantage points and after it was seen the Capitol was doomed, saving of nearby buildings was planned.

No definite figures were given on the actual loss by either the owners of the building, or the operators of the theatre, but estimates would make the loss in the vicinity of \$200,000 it is believed. Insurance

Within a half hour the rear of the

Seek Use Of Local Stone In Building Of Postoffice Here

By ARTHUR C. WIMER
Special Washington Correspondent Of
The New Castle News

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 29.—When bids on New Castle's new post office are called for, specifications will permit the use of either local stone or stone of outside origin.

This fact was definitely established Saturday afternoon by Representative J. Howard Swick after a visit to the Treasury Office. Mr. Swick took with him to the Department communications from various leaders of New Castle praising the qualities of local stone and was assured that bidders on the construction job would be permitted to submit bids upon the base of locally produced stone.

Under the decision of the Treasury Department, specifications for the new post office will be written so as to permit bidders to base their offers either upon stone quarried in the vicinity of New Castle or in other sections of the country. Then after the bids have been submitted Treasury experts will examine samples of the New Castle stone to determine its acceptability.

In his letter to Congressman Swick, Mr. Pearson stated that he personally had examined the plans of the new building and am satisfied that at least one half dozen ledges of local stone can provide "stone" of sufficient dimensions to satisfy the specifications. In referring to the availability and suitability of local stone, he reported that he had personally visited several different ledges of suitable stone whose workability was proven through the testing of samples on a machine designed for that purpose.

Local stone is being used in the construction of post offices at Rochester and Youngstown and will probably be used in the new Ellwood Building.

Unless unexpected delays occur the Treasury Department expects to call for bids on the Ellwood Building within the next ten weeks.

Several leaders of New Castle, however, telephoned and wrote to Mr. Swick that they were confident local stone could be satisfactorily used and it was these communications which the Congressman carried to the Treasury on Saturday.

Mr. Swick received communications pleading on behalf of local stone from the Mayor of New Castle to the Eckles Company, New Castle architects, drawing the plans for the structure, and last week Eckles reported back that use of local stone would not be practical.

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Several firemen, armed with a hose crawled quickly up the aerial. Police cleared South Mercer street of spectators. Police feared the front wall of the theatre might collapse.

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Pennsy Railroaders Honor R. W. Hamilton On His Retirement

The clock ticked off three hours of time too fast Saturday evening for a banquet crowd of Pennsylvania railroad men to do honor justly to a retired official here who finished his 41-year-long job on February 1 with a colorful, lasting record left behind him.

But in those three short hours some 70 fellow workers, officials and friends of former Assistant Road Foreman of Engines, R. W. Hamilton—who gets "Major" as a salutation always—paid him a testimonial that his remaining years will never permit to be forgotten. The dinner and program occurred in The Castleton.

"The Major" sat with his closest friends and the dinner leaders at a speakers' table up front, and responded with fitting speech when the toastmaster, E. A. Fenton, the Pennsylvania's supervising agent, prevailed upon him after 14 others had extolled him.

Mr. Hamilton, who entered the Pennsylvania's service on July 17, 1891, climbed his way through different engine jobs to the post of assistant road foreman which he held at retirement. Especially did he concentrate his studies and attention on the study of airbrake equipment and airbrake processes, and when pension time came, gained the reputation as one of the foremost experts on that subject on the Pennsylvania lines.

Program Opens

Opening the program Saturday night, following the delicious dinner that was served, was J. H. McIlvenny, chairman of the engineers' committee and one of Mr. Hamilton's best friends.

Mr. McIlvenny contributed a few remarks at the beginning and speedily introduced Mr. Fenton as the toastmaster.

All through the dinner the guests had enjoyed the orchestral music played by six members of the Sen-

ior High school orchestra. Their time was donated for the dinner.

Toastmaster Fenton directed the banquet train like an able dispatcher, and there were no derailments, no open switches, and no airbrake troubles during the entire evening's program.

Deserving credit for the masterful way in which the testimonial was planned were Mr. McIlvenny, the chairman, and the following committee: C. B. Grassel, H. M. Rea, J. C. Hanrahan, W. O. Teufel and Edward M. Fisher.

Those Present

Employees and officials of the E. & A. division and guests present to do Mr. Hamilton honor were:

R. W. Roberts, J. S. Gillum, J. K. Davidson, O. A. Ishler, L. C. Gleason, B. H. Hill, William V. Fielding, Dr. W. W. Wilkinson, E. S. Syling, Sam D. Cox, R. M. Scowden, H. W. French, E. C. Johnston, W. A. Glasser, C. B. Gibson, M. T. Hall, F. J. Perry, H. E. Hays, L. M. Wolcott, C. D. Wharton, H. L. Saiter, W. A. Keeley, J. H. McIlvenny, E. A. Fenton, J. A. Hunter, J. M. Yates, J. R. McGuire, Frank L. McCreary, C. J. Callahan, George W. Wedell, B. J. Martin, Stanley Morosky, James A. McWilliams, Ole Vanattan, D. M. Royal, Harry Thompson, John Weber, S. E. Park, W. H. Smith, R. E. Hamilton, W. C. DeArment, C. F. Perrine, S. E. Patterson, H. B. Bush, R. F. Preston, W. O. Teufel, C. B. Grassel, J. C. Hanrahan, H. M. Rea, E. M. Fisher, L. W. Hamilton, Bruce Ewing and R. P. Hamilton, all of New Castle.

Dr. J. M. Hamilton, Oakmont, Pa.; R. A. Hamilton, Pittsburgh; Frank V. Robison, F. S. Patterson and Jacob B. Shook, of Youngstown; F. E. Andrews and S. R. Whittenberger, Ashtabula, O.; H. P. Kantner, Sharpsville; Joseph Wolf, C. P. Sipe and W. E. Gasterling, of Sharon, and James Pilmer, of Erie.

Mr. Hamilton, the chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements. Climaxing the oral tributes was McIlvenny's presentation of a beautiful Hamilton watch to Mr. Hamilton and an artistically designed draft of resolutions adopted by the engineers' committee of the Pennsylvania railroad in the New Castle district.

The resolutions conveyed the engineers' sincere wish to Mr. Hamilton for a long and happy life so truly deserved.

Three of his sons, Robert, Lee, and Ralph, were present to see the railroaders praise their "dad" and Ralph helped them go about it. He spoke for the sons when called upon.

At the Hamilton home on Madison avenue, Seventh ward, the men who had gathered to honor Mr. Hamilton had sent a floral bouquet as a remembrance for Mrs. Hamilton.

Toastmaster Fenton, like every person, praised "Mage" for his service in the company's airbrake studies. It was said that few employees in the E. & A. engine service

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Robert M. Short
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OFFICIAL REPORT OF DEATH GIVEN

(International News Service)
NANKING, Feb. 29.—The Chinese national government has ordered that the body of Robert M. Short, American aviator killed in a battle with Japanese fliers over Soochow last Monday, be buried with highest military honors.

An official communique issued here declared that Short lost his way while flying with a Chinese squadron, encountered the Japanese airplanes and sacrificed his life "to uphold the cause of humanity and justice."

Following is the text of the com-
munique:

"Short served with the Chinese aviation forces as an instructor. After recently seeing Japanese airplanes bomb unfortified Shanghai, killing numerous women and children, Short expressed the determination to sacrifice his life by upholding the cause of humanity and justice."

Chinese Grateful

"Flying with a Chinese squadron on February 12, Short lost his way. But seeing three Japanese airplanes bombing Soochow, Short engaged them single-handed."

"Three additional Japanese pursuit planes attacked him from above. Short's airplane crashed, resulting in his death, but Short's machine-guns killed one Japanese private."

"The Chinese government is highly grateful for Short's service in making the supreme sacrifice for a nation he genuinely loved and be-
friended."

"The Chinese government has ordered a proper burial of Short's re-
mains with highest honors."

BESSEMER

CHAPEL PROGRAM

The chapel program of the Bessemer high school was presented on Friday afternoon at three. The program was in charge of Miss Es-
ther Landman, who had charge of the devotions. The following program was carried out:

"Play, 'When Martha and George Returned', Mignon Lott; George Washington, Edward Watson; Mar-
tha Washington, Betty Nord; Man,

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Hoover Will Run For Re-Election As Dry Candidate

Senator Borah Makes Prediction
Regarding Presidency
Race This Year

(International News Service)
WASHINGTON, Feb. 29—President Hoover will run for re-election as a dry. Senator Borah (R) of Idaho, predicted Saturday.

Borah, one of the Republican party's outstanding prohibition leaders, evinced little concern in the movements launched by the New Jersey Republicans, for a wet plank in the 1932 Republican platform.

"The Republican platform on prohibition this year," said Borah, "will be in substance what it was before. It's not a question so much what the platform amounts to as what the individual stands for. We have a dry candidate."

Borah also declared he anticipated no hostilities between Russia and Japan in the Orient. He has maintained ever since the start of Japan's invasion of Manchuria that Russia would avoid war with the far eastern empire.

Pershing Club Members To Dine

First Annual Dinner Will Be
Held In Legion Home
Building Tonight

Several hundred members of the Pershing club, an organization composed of the ex-service men of Lawrence County, will dine this evening in the Legion Home Association building this evening, the occasion being the first annual dinner of the organization.

Invitations were mailed Saturday to members, but those who did not receive an invitation are urged to come, as the mailing list is not complete.

An informal program will follow the dinner.

Local Motorists On Good Behavior

(International News Service)
HARRISBURG, Feb. 29.—License cards of 117 drivers were withdrawn by the bureau of motor vehicles during the week ending February 25, it was announced today.

Of this number, 79 licenses were revoked and 38 suspended. Withdrawals totaled six more than the number for the preceding week.

During the same period, operating privileges were restored to 63 drivers. Revocations to date this year total 567 and suspensions 467.

With 31 revocations, Philadelphia continued to lead the list in this classification.

Lawrence county motorists were again on their good behavior, no revocations or suspensions being imposed upon them. The driving privileges of George Zavalek of Volant were restored.

The journeyman plumbers voluntarily reduced their wages \$20 per week. The master plumbers have reduced their margin of profit so low that the greater part of the time it is non-existent.

There has not been a time in the last 10 years when the dollar would buy as much, in our line, as at the present time. With very few exceptions, every person engaged in any way, in our line of work, are not alone citizens, but property owners, who are vitally interested in the prosperity of our city.

We also strongly advocate the spending of the New Castle dollar in New Castle, that the continued buying power of that or those dollars be not lost to our citizens. "Let's Go, New Castle."

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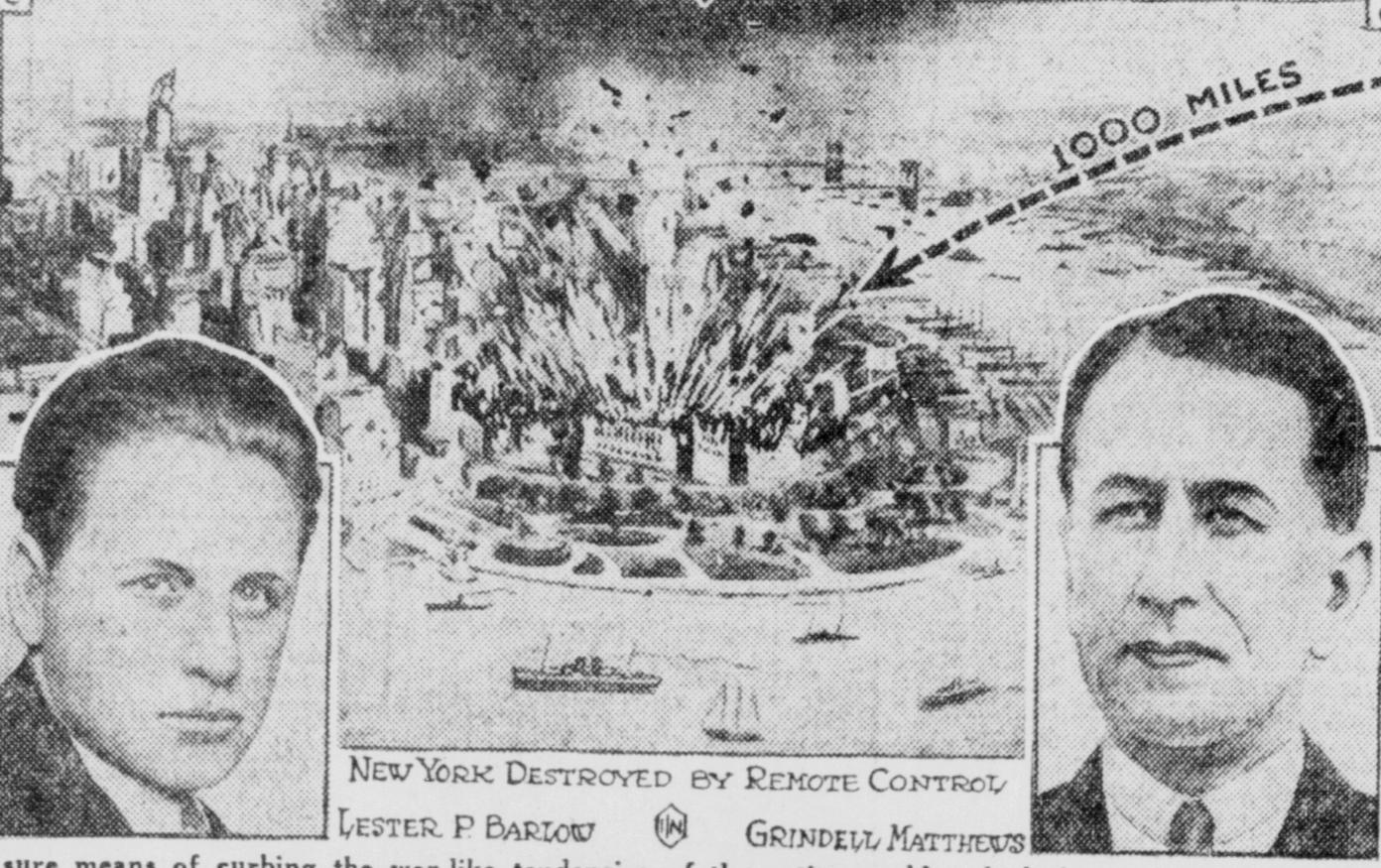
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American Invention Operated by Remote Control Would Wipe Out Entire Cities 1,000 Miles Distant — Terrible Power for Good or Evil.



A sure means of curbing the war-like tendencies of the entire world and placing control of the entire American inventor and called the "bomb wizard" of the World War. Barlow is in Washington to offer his latest and most terrible invention to the Government. It is an agency operated by remote control, which Barlow claims is potent enough to wipe entire cities off the map at a range of 1,000 miles. The units of this destructive force may be either high explosive, incendiary or lethal gas, or a combination of all three. Though, for obvious reasons, only the most meager details of the device are known to anyone but the inventor, it is believed that it bears no resemblance to the "Death Ray" invention of Grindell Matthews, English scientist. Barlow does not seek any remuneration for his creation. All he asks is that Congress give him a hearing and allow him to demonstrate his invention. However, he warns that if the U. S. fails to accept the device he will place it at the disposal of Premier Mussolini or Italy or Dictator Stalin of Russia.

MY NEW YORK

BY JAMES ASWELL

By Central Press

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—This is written on a portable typewriter. After years of pounding on the large standard machines, I feel almost that it is committing assault to punch the keyboard of this frantic midget. For one thing, it gives the impression of working so hard—twice as conscientiously as the guy who is flailing it. Actually, the machine's performance is quite indistinguishable from that of its big brother. But in effect it gulps down polysyllables with the brave earnestness of a small boy surrounding his daily helping of spinach.

To poets whose script is illegible and who flinch from the crass mechanism of the standard typewriter, I recommend a portable. In fact, I would not be surprised to learn that the trouble with today's column down to here, was simply the wistful yearning of the keys to tilt into a sonnet.

HAND AND FOOT NOTES

Kate Smith, the singer of torch ballads to the ether, is, they tell me, seriously about her excessive weight. . . . The truth is that avorodipos may be closely linked to the magic which brings Kate her four-figure weekly check. . . . My doctor declares that the vocal chords of folk who lend toward obesity are likely to be of the small, vibrant, singer type. . . . On the other hand my own feet, which has been mounting disconcertingly through recent years, seems to be no case in point. . . . The wagon would draw up to my door at the first note I sang, and with cause. . . .

The sale of cosmetics has suddenly picked up throughout the world. I am told by a large drug wholesaler—and in the queerest places, too: Cuba, where political upheavals have embarrassed business of late, and in Shanghai, where you know what has been going on! . . . According to statisiticians, it is about time as you read these words for a new national radio smash to hit the air. . . . Enormously successful microphone acts occur with astonishing regularity, about once every 45 days. . . . Don't ask me who or how.

A new novel of the "daring" (and invariably dull) variety, is being advertised in the local papers under the catchline: "BANNED EXTREMELY ABROAD!" . . . A deaf and dumb barbers in one of the financial district shops have a little sign pasted on the mirror in front of his chair: "I never annoy you with talk" . . . Patrons write down their wishes on a pad provided for the purpose. . . .

PRO That moving electric sign in the

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FISHER BROTHERS

T. D. STEWART, 86,
DEAD AT HARMONY

HARMONY, Pa., Feb. 29.—Thomas Dickinson Stewart, 86, died at his home here Saturday after a short illness. He removed from Homestead 15 years ago. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Martha Alice Jamison Stewart, four sons, Rev. Walter J. Stewart of Grinnell, Ia., Ralph O. of Homestead; Dr. Arthur L. of Harmony; and Thomas A. Stewart, of Homestead; a daughter, Mrs. C. F. Engel of Homestead.

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ELLWOOD CITY NEWS

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Ellwood High Closes Floor Season Tonight

Rochester Invades Ellwood To Wind Up Season For Locals

ELLWOOD CITY, Feb. 29.—Ellwood high hopes to end its floor season with an impressive victory when Rochester invades the Tube City this evening for the final game on the Ellwood High schedule. It is a return contest and the locals are favored to repeat their previous victory.

Coach Todd Lloyd has taken every precaution to prevent an upset. He has paced his boys through an intensive drill since last Thursday in preparation for the invasion of Rochester. The locals had an interesting time in their previous meeting in the valley town. The blue and white copped an 18-17 win at that time and the Taylor men are coming here tonight with every hope of avenging that defeat.

Ellwood was rather handicapped in their first encounter by Rochester's small handbox court, and just barely managed to get away with a victory. But Rochester is not the same team that the locals had met. Since then the Taylor men have proved to be dangerous. They made a very impressive showing against New Castle recently.

Past Matrons Are Entertained With Dinner Saturday

ELLWOOD CITY, Feb. 29.—The officers of the Ellwood City Chapter No. 212, of the Order of the Eastern Star, entertained the past matrons at a 6 o'clock dinner Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Paul Connor on Pittsburgh Circle. Covers were placed for 22 at small tables in the living room. After dinner the hours were wiled away at bridge and Michigan with several tables at play. At the conclusion of the games it was found that Mrs. H. C. Steinberger was the winner of the bridge prize and Mrs. R. E. Callahan the Michigan favor.

SLIPPERY ROCK PRESBYTERIAN
ELLWOOD CITY, Feb. 29.—The Ladies Aid Society of the Slippery Rock Presbyterian church will hold an all-day meeting Wednesday at the church. The work committee is composed of Mrs. Ralph McMunn, Mrs. Elta McMunn and Mrs. C. K. Myers. An election of officers will take place at this time.

MEETINGS PROLONGED
ELLWOOD CITY, Feb. 29.—The special evangelistic campaign being conducted at the mission, 411 Bell avenue, will be continued during this week, coming to a close next Sunday night.

The Rev. Ellenger, who has proven to be such a help to many by his method of preaching the truths of the Bible will remain during this week and will preach every night after the inspiring song service which begins at 7:45. The public is cordially invited to attend.

FUNERAL SERVICES
ELLWOOD CITY, Feb. 29.—Funeral services for Mrs. Steven Konayak, whose death occurred at the local hospital Saturday following a short illness of pneumonia, were held from the home of Mrs. Ralph Harbison, pastor of the Magyar Presbyterian church at Ellport conducted on Fourth street. Rev. Fr. Vincent Galliano conducted the services.

Besides her husband, Steven Konayak, she is survived by twelve children. Interment was made in the Locust Grove cemetery.

MALTA COMMANDERY
ELLWOOD CITY, Feb. 29.—The Isle of Malta Commandery No. 505 will hold their regular semi-monthly meeting in the K. of P. Hall on Fourth street on Tuesday evening, March 1 at 8 p.m. At this time the officers who were elected at the last meeting will be installed to serve for the coming year. A full attendance is desired.

Classes Combine For Relief Work

Mrs. Goehring Is Pleasing Hostess

B. Y. F. Members Have Interesting Meeting On Saturday Afternoon Here

ELLWOOD CITY, Feb. 29.—Mrs. William Goehring was a charming hostess to the members of the B. Y. F. club at her home on the Zelenopis road Saturday afternoon. Miss Mary Benford was a special guest. The home presented a pleasing appearance in the George Washington decorations.

Bridge attracted the attention of the guests for the greater part of the day with two tables at play. Mrs. Ethel Vosler and Mrs. George Rapp received the score awards for members at the conclusion of the games. Miss Benford was presented the guest favor.

An appointed hour the hostess with the assistance of her daughter, Virginia, served a delectable menu as a closing feature of the meeting.

Mrs. Howard McClymonds invited the club to meet at her home on Second street in two weeks.

M. E. CHURCH
ELLWOOD CITY, Feb. 29.—The Methodist Boy Scout troop will meet this evening at 7 o'clock in the church rooms.

There will be a meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary society on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. George R. R. Roy on Wayne avenue.

The official board will hold its monthly meeting in the church at 7:45 Tuesday.

A special Lenten service will be held in the church on Wednesday evening. Choir practice will follow this.

U. P. CHURCH
ELLWOOD CITY, Feb. 29.—Rev. W. E. Minteer will be in charge of the mid-week prayer service in the U. P. church on Wednesday evening. There will be a meeting of the sessions after the prayer meeting.

The Women's Missionary society will meet on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in the church rooms. A good attendance is desired as an election of officers will take place.

The junior choir will hold a rehearsal at 7 p.m. Friday and the senior choir at 8 p.m.

NORTH SEWICKLEY PRESBYTERIAN
ELLWOOD CITY, Feb. 28.—Thursday evening the weekly prayer service followed by choir practice will be held at the church at eight o'clock. Rev. Bell will also conduct this meeting.

Friday evening the members of the Sunshine class will be entertained at the home of Miss Audrey Deemer at North Sewickley. Mrs. Doreen Baird teacher of the class, will be in charge of the group.

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BOY SCOUTS
ELLWOOD CITY, Feb. 29.—Troop 1 of the Wurtemburg boy scouts will hold their regular weekly meeting this evening at the Wurtemburg schoolhouse. Scoutmaster Mehard will be in charge and a series of first aid tests will be given after which an hour of games will be enjoyed.

With the Chinese at Chapei



These two excellent photographs, made in the actual firing line on the Chapei-Woosung front, show (upper) General Tsai Ting-kai, commander of the Chinese 19th Route Army, taking the same chances as his men in the trenches. General Ting-kai has stubbornly held an unbroken line in this sector despite repeated bombardments from the air and from Jap warships in Shanghai harbor. Lower photo shows a party of Chinese sharpshooters crouching down under cover as they pick off the advance guard of the Japanese invaders of Chapei.

Wurtemburg Man Dies On Sunday

ELLWOOD CITY, Feb. 29.—John F. McElwain, 78, of Wurtemburg, died at his home about 10 o'clock Sunday evening after a short illness. His death was rather sudden and unexpected. The funeral arrangements will be announced later.

BOOSTER MEETING
ELLWOOD CITY, Feb. 29.—The Protected Home Circle will hold a short business session in the lodge rooms in the Schweiger building on Tuesday. The meeting will be called to order promptly at seven o'clock.

After a short session the meeting will turn over to the Beaver Falls degree team, who will take charge of initiating candidates. This will be followed with degree work by the Rochester team. Following an exhibition will be given by the Knickerbocker team from New Castle.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH
ELLWOOD CITY, Feb. 29.—It was announced that there will be play practice at the church on Monday and Thursday.

There will be a meeting of the official board on Tuesday evening at 7:30. Also the Loyal Women's class will meet at this time in the church rooms. The regular mid-week prayer service will be held on Wednesday evening with the pastor in charge.

The Bethany class will hold its monthly meeting on Thursday at the church.

A special Lenten service will be held in the church on Wednesday evening. Choir practice will follow this.

GIVE RECITAL

ELLWOOD CITY, Feb. 29.—The Misses Dorothy and Marjorie Coates were pleasing hostesses to the pupils of Mrs. Fred Smith when they held a recital at their home at North Sewickley Friday afternoon. Many parents and friends of the students attended.

Having parts were Clair Thompson, Marjorie Coates, Catherine McKeown, Albert Kingston, Mary Elizabeth Hazen, Lila Weston, Halcyon Sartwell, Pearl Weston, Margaret Nye, Mary Hazen, Warren Hazen, William Jones, Jean Kingston, Luella Jones and Dorothy Coates.

McKenna said one of the prisoners was free and had departed for his home in Oil City, Pa., another had been sent to the county penitentiary for nine months, the third had been deported to Canada and the fourth man was still in jail.

Fourth Man Nabbed

UNIONTOWN, Pa., Feb. 29.—District Attorney W. K. Newell today disclosed an information charging murderer against Carmello Sturilla as the fourth man involved in the racket killing of Jack Donohue near here in 1929.

Sturilla and two men now under arrest, Robert C. Bledsoe and Cosmo Stangoni, were named by Tony Bell, former Fayette county detective, as participants in the slaying for which Bell, who now admits his guilt, was tried and acquitted last year.

Bell vigorously denied reports from Buffalo that his confession in the up-state city, where he had been held on another charge, was a hoax. He declared he could prove "every word of it."

ELLWOOD PERSONALS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Foreman of Smiley Stop, a son.

Earle Friday of the New Castle road is confined to his home with the grippe.

Mrs. W. C. Boyer of Squaw Run, who was confined to her home with illness, is reported steadily improving.

Mrs. Andor Harsany, who has been confined to her home at Ellport for several days suffering from grippe, is somewhat improved.

Orville Harper of Slippery Rock has returned home after spending several days at the home of his sister, Mrs. William Kissick of Frisco.

Mr. and Mrs. William Travis and Mrs. Nancy and Charles Travis of this city visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Ice of New Castle.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller L. Martin of Crescent avenue were the dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne F. Davis of Bessemer Sunday.

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Alfalfa hay has been cultivated in Europe for more than 2,000 years and in 1854 it was brought from Chile to California, whence it spread rapidly over semi-arid regions of the Pacific and Rocky Mountain states.

Possibly two can live as cheaply as one, but it throws an awful strain on the grocer.—The Columbus Ohio State Journal.

Tangle Results From Confession In Buffalo Jail

Claim Made And Denied That Tony Bell Framed Accomplice In Donohue Murder

CLAIMS ENMITY WITH BLEDSOE

Four Prisoners In Buffalo Will Testify That Bell Faked His Confession

(International News Service)

BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 29.—Anthony W. Bell, former Fayette county detective, faked a confession involving others to the murder of John Donohue in order to frame an enemy and get \$2,500 reward, it was charged today.

James B. McKenna, attorney, said he had an affidavit from a client in county jail stating that Bell was overheard talking of his frame-up plot.

Bell, awaiting trial here on an extortior charge, signed a confession

charging that he, R. C. Bledsoe, Cosmo Stangoni and a fourth man had shot and killed Donohue, Uniontown, Pa., bootlegger, in July, 1929.

Wanted Reward.

Bell was tried on a murder charge shortly after the killing but was acquitted. Even though he has confessed, he cannot be tried for the murder again due to constitutional grounds.

Bledsoe and Stangoni have been arrested.

Bell is said by Attorney McKenna to have told a cellmate that he wanted to "get" Bledsoe because he was an enemy and also to collect the reward offered for solution of the murder.

Related By Four.

McKenna would not reveal the name of the man signing the affidavit but he claimed there were four prisoners who had talked with Bell who would testify in Bledsoe's favor.

McKenna said one of the prisoners was free and had departed for his home in Oil City, Pa., another had been sent to the county penitentiary for nine months, the third had been deported to Canada and the fourth man was still in jail.

Fourth Man Nabbed.

UNIONTOWN, Pa., Feb. 29.—District Attorney W. K. Newell today disclosed an information charging murderer against Carmello Sturilla as the fourth man involved in the racket killing of Jack Donohue near here in 1929.

Sturilla and two men now under arrest, Robert C. Bledsoe and Cosmo Stangoni, were named by Tony Bell, former Fayette county detective, as participants in the slaying for which Bell, who now admits his guilt, was tried and acquitted last year.

Bell vigorously denied reports from Buffalo that his confession in the up-state city, where he had been held on another charge, was a hoax. He declared he could prove "every word of it."

ELLWOOD PERSONALS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Foreman of Smiley Stop, a son.

Earle Friday of the New Castle road is confined to his home with the grippe.

Mrs. W. C. Boyer of Squaw Run, who was confined to her home with illness, is reported steadily improving.

Mrs. Andor Harsany, who has been confined to her home at Ellport for several days suffering from grippe, is somewhat improved.

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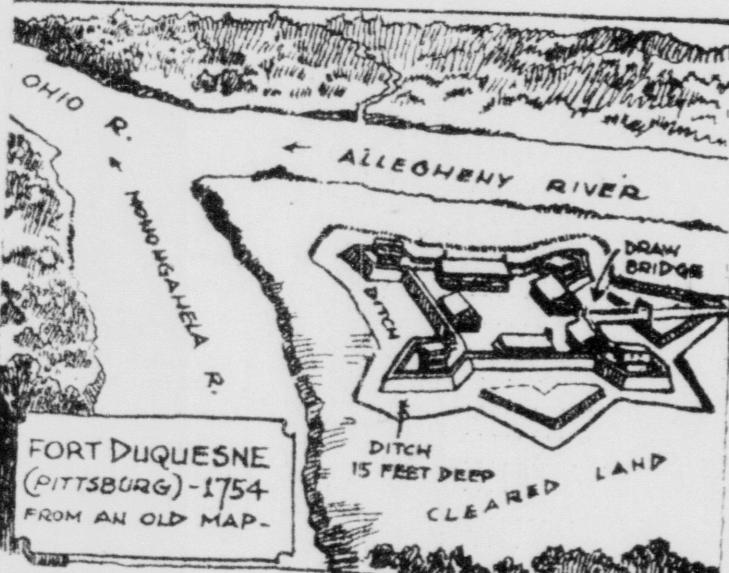
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IN APRIL A REGIMENT OF 350 VIRGINIA RANGERS AND MILITIAMEN MARCHED WESTWARD OVER THE ROUGH TRAIL TO GARRISON THE NEW FORT IN THE DISTANT WILDERNESS. THIS FORCE WAS UNDER THE COMMAND OF COLONEL FRY, WITH YOUNG GEORGE WASHINGTON AS LIEUTENANT-COLONEL.



REACHING THE BROAD GRASSLANDS KNOWN AS GREAT MEADOWS, ABOUT 50 MILES FROM HIS DESTINATION, WASHINGTON, LEADING THE ADVANCE, RECEIVED STARTLING NEWS. A FORCE OF 500 FRENCHMEN HAD COME DOWN THE ALLEGHENY AND CAPTURED TRENT'S PARTY.



THE FRENCH ESTABLISHED THEMSELVES STRONGLY AT THE FORKS OF THE OHIO, BUILDING A BASTIONED FORTIFICATION WHICH THEY NAMED FORT DUQUESNE IN HONOR OF THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF CANADA.

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YOU KNOW THE TYPE



Pathetic figure who finds he has two more membership cards than places in his billfold.

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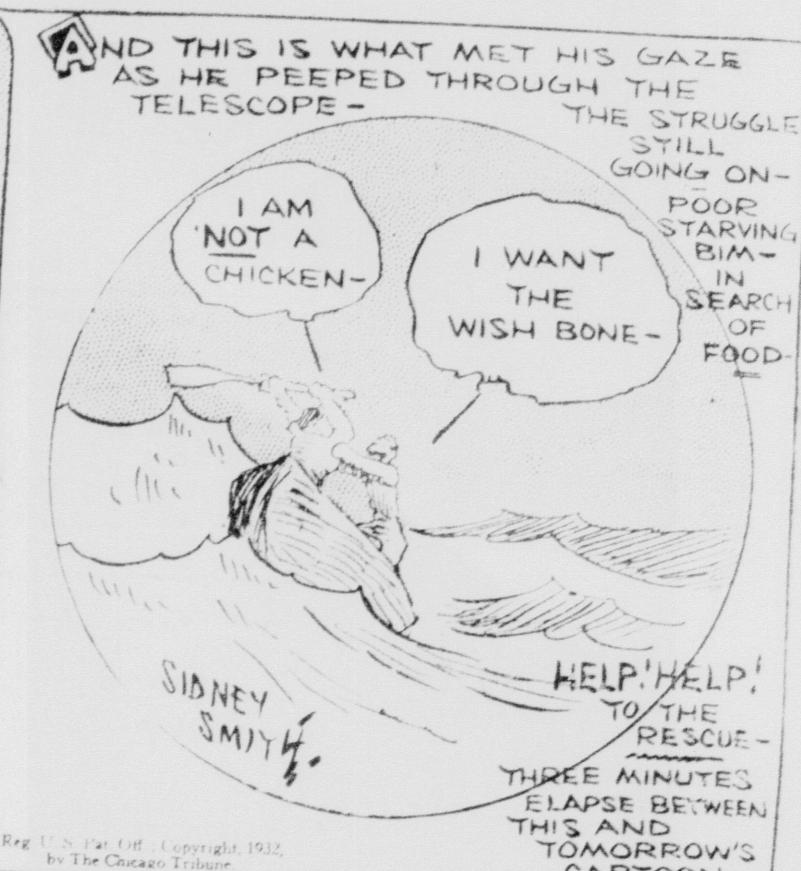
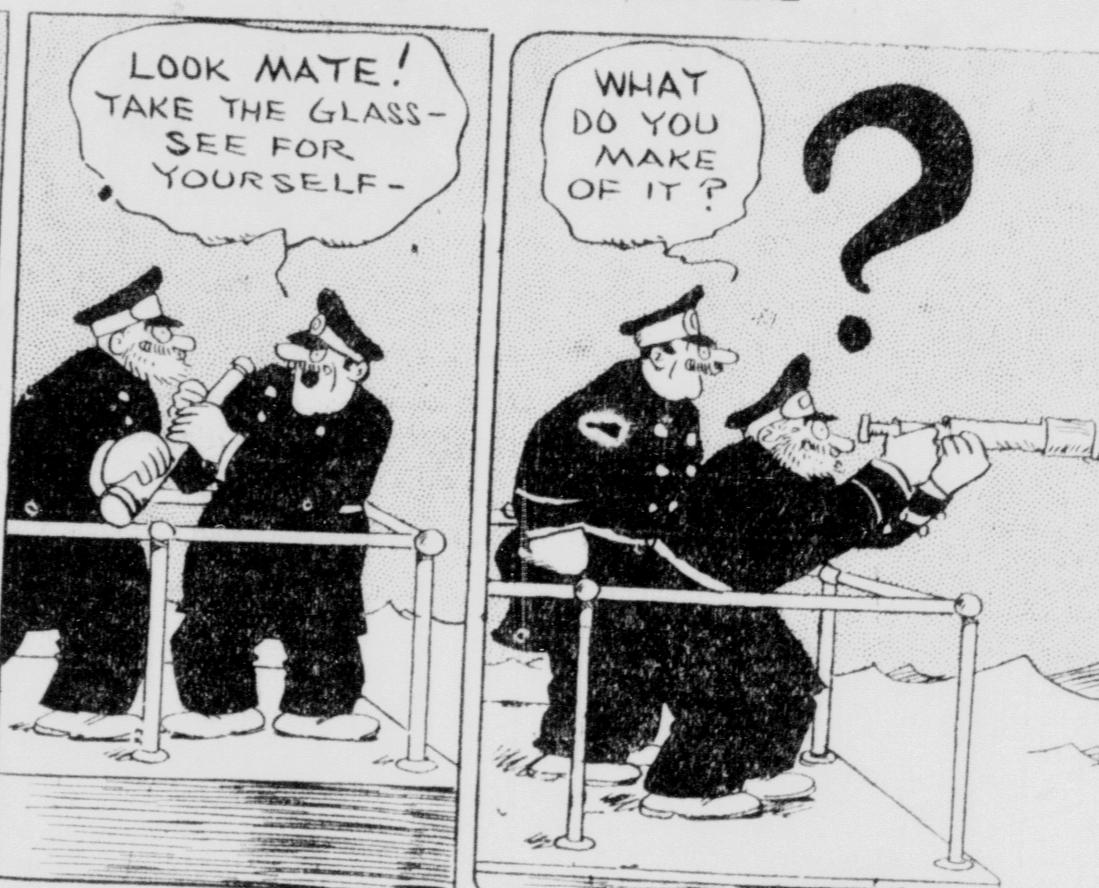
THE GUMPS

IN SATURDAY'S CARTOON WE LEFT BIM AND MILLIE'S MOTHER STILL ADRIFT AT SEA. BIM, THROUGH HUNGER, THIRST AND EXPOSURE HAD GONE STARK MAD AND IN HIS DELIRIUM FANCIED MILLIE'S MOTHER TO BE A FRIED CHICKEN. HE WAS CALLING FOR THE WISH BONE AND WAS ABOUT TO EAT LUNCH WHEN WE LEFT OFF -

EVERWHERE - FAR AND WIDE - THE NEWS HAS BEEN BROADCAST THAT BIM GUMP IS LOST AT SEA - A LARGE REWARD HAS BEEN OFFERED TO THE SHIP THAT PICKS HIM UP - THERE IS NOT CAPTAIN WHO IS NOT STRAINING HIS EYES LOOKING FOR A TRACE OF THE LOST BILLIONAIRE -

WHAT MAKES THIS MAN PALE AS HE WATCHES THROUGH HIS GLASSES - WHAT DOES HE SEE?

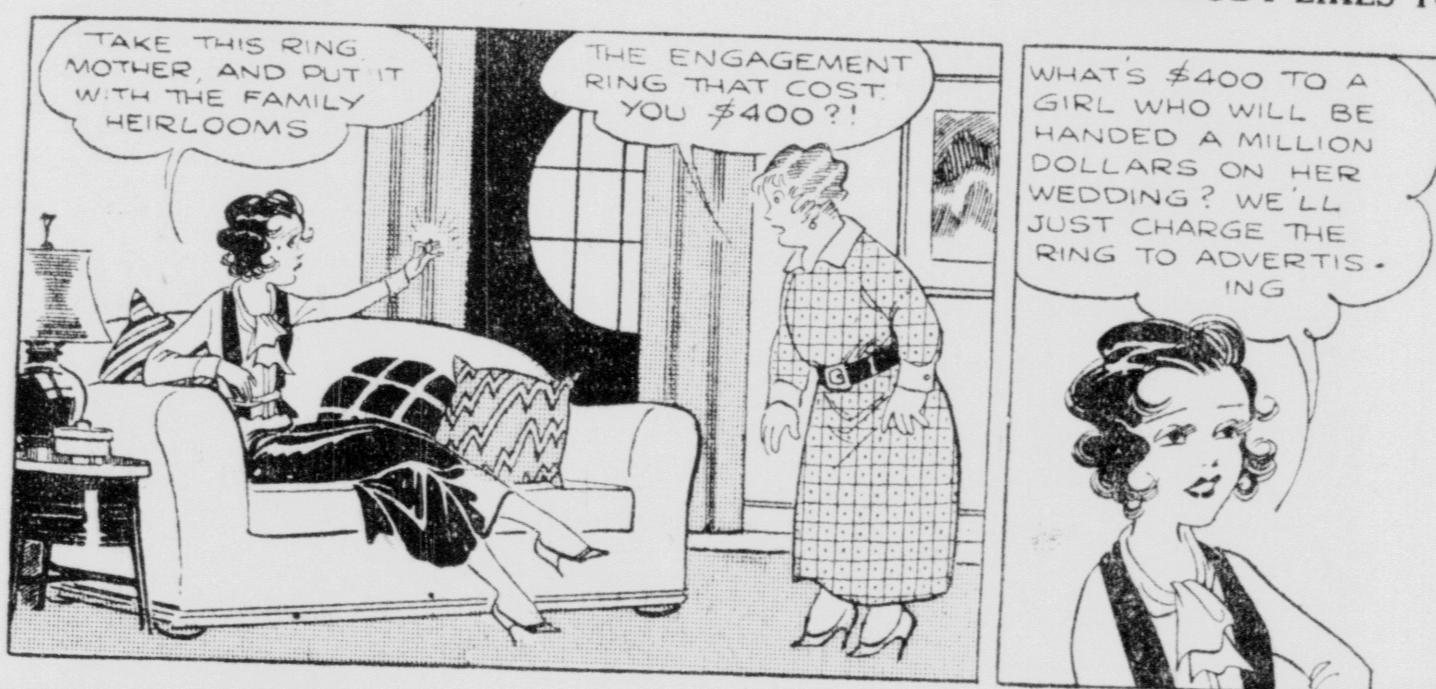
THROW OUT THE LIFE LINE



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DUMB DORA

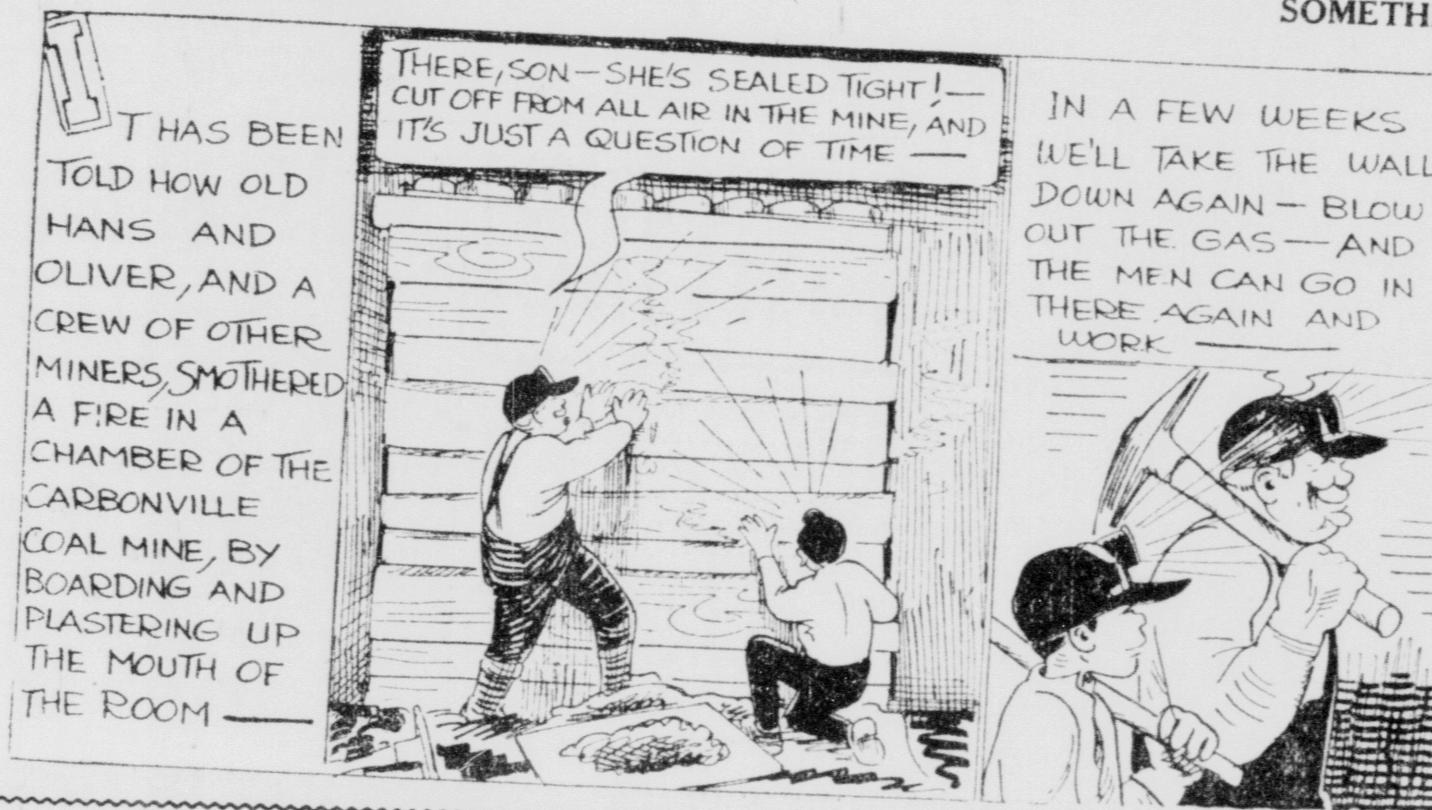


EVERYBODY LIKES TO SOLVE A PUZZLE



BY PAUL FUNG

OLIVER'S ADVENTURES



SOMETHING SPOOKY



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MAKE UP YOUR MIND, DONNIE



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"ONE WORD FROM GRANDMA—"

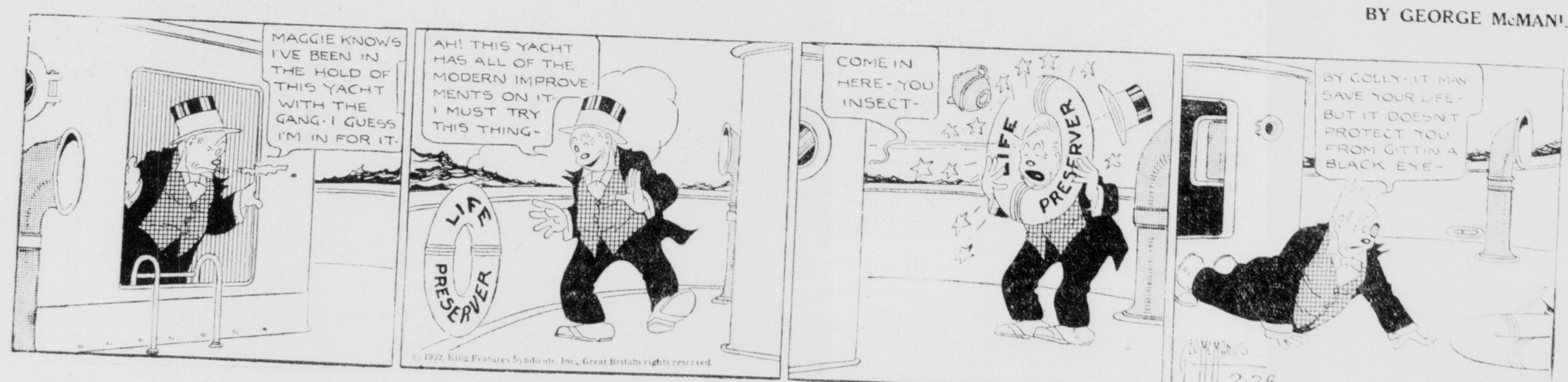


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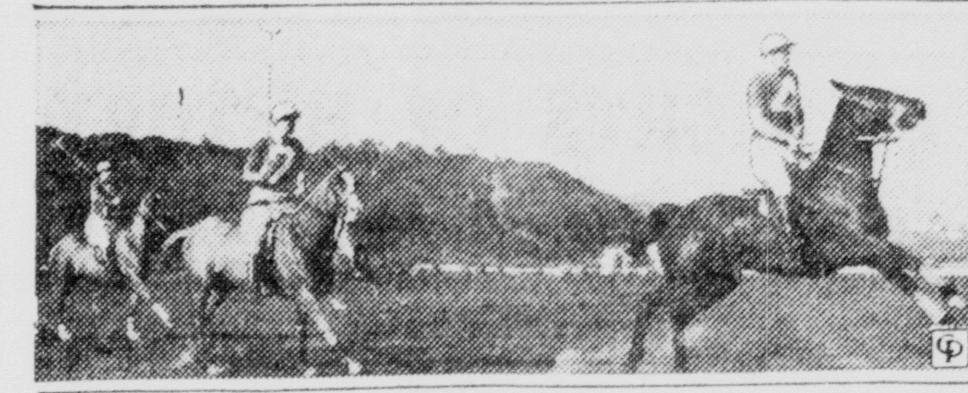


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STRIKE ONE!—Bob O'Farrell misses a slow one in Giants' practice game. Shanty Hogan is the catcher.

SPORTS



MID-WINTER POLO—The Riviera Tigers battle Flying W Cowboys in polo game near Los Angeles, Cal.

New Wilmington High Maintains Class B Lead

New Wilmington Beats Bessemer

Win Virtually Assures New Wilmington To Class B Title

COLLEGE TOWN HIGH WINS BY 10 POINTS

(Special To The News)

BESSEMER, Pa., Feb. 29.—Although each of the teams in the circuit has one more game to play, New Wilmington high virtually captured the Lawrence County Class B floor crown here Saturday when Bessemer high was defeated 22 to 12.

New Wilmington has won seven and dropped two games. Their closest rival is East Brook with six victories and three defeats. Union and Shenango are deadlocked for third place and Bessemer and Mt. Jackson follow. The games here Saturday night was rather drab in the first half but after the whistle sounded for the last half Bessemer staged a desperate rally. While they did not hold New Wilmington even in scoring they came within four points of so doing.

Changed System

At the end of the first half when Bessemer had used a one man defense and Wilmington had played man-to-man, the score was 7 to 1. In the second half Bessemer shifted to a man-to-man play. From then on it was a fierce contest.

However, while Bessemer scored 11 additional points and New Wilmington annexed 15 more, the good passing and accurate basket shooting of New Wilmington could not be overcome. Bessemer was also outshot from the foul line.

HOW TEAMS STAND

	W. L. Pct.
New Wilmington	7 2 .77
East Brook	6 3 .66
Union	5 4 .55
Shenango	5 4 .55
Bessemer	2 7 .22
Mt. Jackson	1 8 .11

FRIDAY'S GAMES

ML. Jackson at East Brook. Shenango at New Wilmington. (x)

Union at Bessemer.

X-Game may be put forward or set back if Westminster plays.

HERE AND THERE IN SPORTS' LAND

First Baptists B, St. Michaels Win

St. Johns Fall Easy Prey To Baptists B, 52 To 14

TEMPLE ISRAEL BEATS EPWORTH

St. Michaels and First Baptists and Sacred Hearts are deadlocked for the leadership of B loop, Church basketball league as the result of the former two teams' victories at the Y Saturday night. Sacred Hearts

won eight and lost two tilts.

There will be several sport events tonight which will prove a magnet for the fans.

There are Church loop game at the Y, Youngstown Y at St. Mary's at St. Mary's and amateur boxing at the Armory.

Philadelphia Nationals have acquired the Durham club in the Piedmont league as a player farm.

Carl P. Shott has been named head of the Northern West Virginia Basketball Officials association.

Fifteen hundred meter race in New York, Saturday was run in 3:32 2-5 by Venzenke which is a new record.

TRAXLERS BOW TO EINTRACHT

Mercer Countians Unable To Check Singers And Lose 35 To 28

Eintracht Singers of New Castle won Saturday night from the Traxlers 35 to 28. The Singers had a better passing attack and were better on the defense than the Traxlers, reputed to be one of the best teams in Mercer county. Rohrer shot 13 points, eight of which were from the field. Bailey, forward played a good game for the Traxlers.

The summary:—

Eintracht FG. F. TP.

Hill, F. 3 1 7

Rohrer, F. 4 5 13

Krein, C. 2 4 8

Paulini, G. 3 0 6

Reiber, G. 0 1 1

Reiter, G. 0 0 5

Totals 12 11 35

Traxlers FG. F. TP.

Bailey, F. 5 1 11

Richardson, F. 0 1 1

Umlauf, C. 0 0 0

Parks, G. 0 1 5

Tonko, G. 4 2 10

Thomas, F. 2 1 5

Sizer, C. 0 0 0

Totals 11 6 23

New Castle Quint In Turney Again

New Castle Has Been In W. P. I. A. L. Tournament For Five Years

With the New Castle-Butler sectional game down in the annals, the New Castle high basketball team now starts preparation for its opening game in the W. P. I. A. L. tournament at Pittsburgh. Friday night, Coach Phil Brindenbaugh will present his quintet against the winner of the Leetsdale-Zelienople tilt.

These two teams battle Tuesday night on the Beaver Falls floor. Like other years, the tourney competitors are the cream of high schools in Western Pennsylvania. Last year New Castle defeated Ambridge and Monessen in two of the best games of the tourney and then dropped to Duquesne, 21-17. Just how far the local passers will get this year is unknown.

Since 1926, the Red and Black has represented its section with the exception of 1929 when New Castle was suspended from the league. Only once, in 1927 has New Castle copped the coveted urn. This season there are many who concede the Lawrence countians a good chance of going to the finals. This however is a vague statement.

Against Butler high, Friday night the New Castle five looked the part of a smooth combination. The entire five played impressive basketball. If Coach Brindenbaugh's team plays like it did Friday night, at Pittsburgh it's going to take a mighty clever team to eliminate the Tim City charges. This afternoon the section three champs start preparation for the game. The drills for the first two days will be light.

CARNEGIE M.

SENIOR EMPLOYED

Two fast games are scheduled for the Carnegie auditorium tonight. In the opening tilt the Safety Five will oppose the Jefferson A. C. at 8:00 o'clock. The feature game will bring together the Carnegie juniors and the Senior employed of the Y. M. C. A. league.

REYNOLDS A. C. WINS

Reynolds A. C. won from Rotary troop 20 to 11 Saturday afternoon. Kirkwood and Wyman made four of the 11 points for the losers. Clausen featured for the winners.

SCHOLASTICS WIN.

Scholastics won from the Rogers 10 to 8 on the Armory floor Saturday. Gall, Sevara, A. Harris and Rogers scored the field goals.

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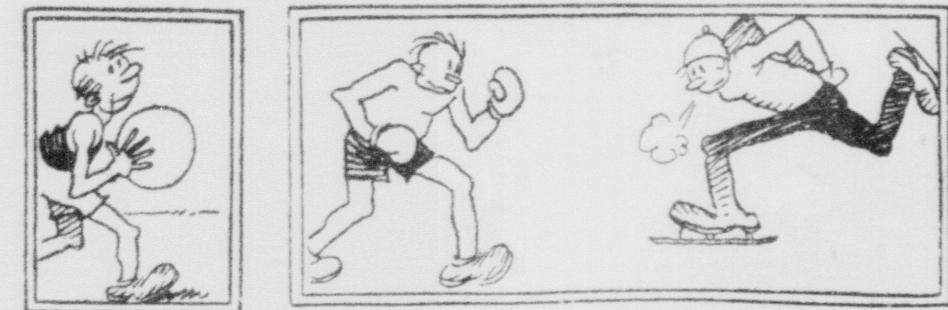
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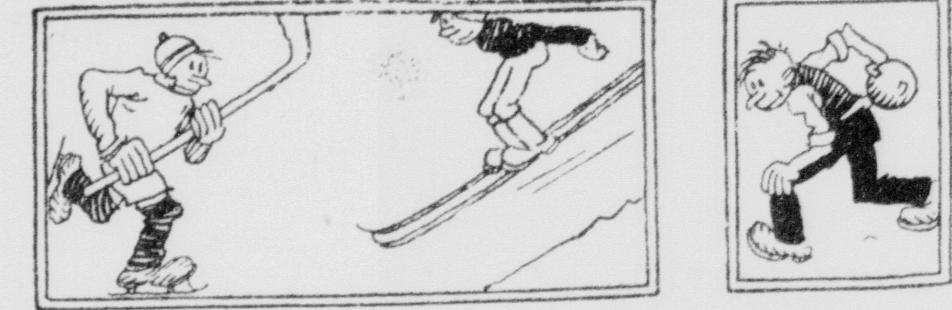
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Titans To Play Bethany In Conference Game On Home Floor This Evening

Fans Have But Two More Chances To See Titans In Action

Sickness Hits Titan Quintet

(Special To The News)
NEW WILMINGTON, Pa., Feb. 29.—Fans of the district will have but two more opportunities to see the 1932 edition of Coach John Lawther's Westminster college basketball team in action this year. Both the two games remaining on the Titan schedule are to be played on the home court, and banner crowds are expected.

Bethany, a Tri-State conference rival, will furnish the opposition tonight. While the Bisons are in the cellar in the conference race, they played very well against Thiel last Friday night, forcing the Luthers into an overtime game.

Tonight's game with Bethany will find the Titans a bit weak, due to the fact that sickness has kept a number of the players out of action since last week. It is not likely that Siljander, Kocheher, Newton, or Blauer will be able to start. As a result, Douglass, Sweeney, Wilhelm, Hamas, Young, and Healy will have to carry on for the blue and white.

A victory tonight will give Westminster its third Tri-State conference championship in basketball in as many seasons. The defeat of Geneva at the hands of Grove City on Friday night practically eliminated the Covenanters from the championship race.

Westminster now leads the conference with seven victories and only one defeat. Geneva is second with six victories and three defeats. Waynesburg with four victories and four defeats, if third.

Following tonight's game with Bethany, the Titans will close the season on Tuesday, March 8 against Grove City, the only district team to defeat Westminster this season. This contest, to be played at New Wilmington, will attract many fans as indicated by the large number of reservations for tickets already in.

Probable lineups for tonight's game:
Westminster.....Bethany
Douglas.....Franey
Sweeney.....Frieder
Brownlee.....Diesey
Rice.....Dupke
Wilhelm.....Clarke
Game starts at 8:15.

New Tariff Law In England Will Become Effective

New Ten Per Cent General Protective Law Will Be In Effect March 1

(International News Service)
LONDON, Feb. 29.—Ships from all over the globe filled London's docks today, jammed the Thames, and raced across stormy seas to put into other English ports and unload their cargoes before five o'clock tonight, when the customs houses close.

For on their opening Tuesday morning Great Britain will have its new ten per cent general protective tariff, slated for final reading in the House of Lords and Royal assent today.

Several hundred ships were putting in at the London docks, many of which changed their regular courses to include London in order to get their cargoes checked off before the deadline.

Chinese General, Leader Of Revolt Decides To Quit

March Of Japanese Troops East Of Harbin Halted As Revolt Is Called Off

(International News Service)
MUKDEN, Feb. 29.—The march of Japanese troops eastward of Harbin along the Chinese Eastern railway line was halted suddenly today.

It was reported General Ting Chao, the Chinese leader of a revolt against the new independent Manchurian regime, had agreed to call off his opposition.

Hold Two Charged With City Robbery

Southsiders Plea To Theft On Southside; Kalish Was Victim

Two South Side men, David Barker and Harry Isaac, are held in the county jail today for the March term of criminal court to face robbery charges brought against them by Assistant County Detective Bernard J. Rocks.

Alderman L. C. Mantz, before whom Rocks arraigned the men this morning, held them after they had entered a plea of guilty.

Barker and Isaac, according to the charges, held up Stanley Kalish, Moravia street man, last Friday and robbed him of a valuable watch and \$19 in cash.

Honeymooners



SMOOTHIES WIN FROM TROJANS

Cats Have Hard Game; Senior Employed Beat Celtics

There were three games in the boys' league Saturday at the Y. Alley Cats had a difficult time subduing the Alley Rats 14 to 12. Celtics lost to the Senior Employed 21 to 12 and Smoothies scored an easy victory over the Trojans 18 to 7.

C. Merando scored enough points to carry the Alley Cats to victory over the Alley Rats. The forward basked five field goals. Scungio and DeCarbo scored the remaining points. Guard Denny, Center Latner and Forward Turk accounted for the 12 points the losers made.

Get Early Start.

Senior Employed got a 9 to 4 point start in the first half in the tilt with the Celtics but were forced to extend themselves in the second half when the Celtics dropped four field goals through the basket. Senior Employed scored 12 points in the last half.

Smoothies, which is said to be one of the best clicking machines among the younger basketeers, scored 11 points against four for the Trojans in the first half. The Trojans got only one field goal and two points from fouls. Smoothies had a clever passing attack and a strong defense and also kept easily in the lead in the second half.

More power to them.

All of which reminds us that something like 12 new minor leagues are proposed for the 1932 season—depression or no depression.

While major league magnates are cutting some of the financial corners and taking in sail for what may be a stormy voyage, many a small town business man is ready to make that first plunge into the baseball sea.

Sponsors for 12 new leagues have requested admission to the National Association of Baseball Leagues, the bush circuit organization. With 16 leagues (those that finished the 1931 season) to keep going the association probably will be able to give these newcomers little else than its best wishes.

The new leagues would be located in the east, mid-west and Pacific coast. They would bring organized baseball to many communities which has never enjoyed anything better than semi-pro games or exhibition contests.

One of the most interesting experiments proposed is that of creating a Northwestern league, composed of Pacific coast cities, the clubs being backed as farms by Pacific Coast league clubs.

Whether or not these leagues actually come into existence, it's heartening to know that there are many new groups of influential baseball lovers who have enough faith in the game to risk some of their bank accounts to some of their cause of baseball.

You remember we met before," said Fujimura extending his hand.

Meng bowed stiffly, but the Japanese hand was left very much up in the air.

Efforts were made after the broadcast to induce the Chinese speaker to pose with Fujimura for a camera shot before the microphone, but he shook his head and hurried out of the studio.

Jack Quinn Is Tennis Leader

(International News Service)

CLEARWATER, Fla., Feb. 29.—Jack Quinn, oldest active pitcher in the major leagues, began his thirty-first annual trip up the baseball trail and his twentieth in a big league training camp today when he participated in his first workout of the year with the Brooklyn Dodgers.

Quinn started in baseball with Connellsville, Pa., team at \$60 per month. His highest salary is believed to have been with the Yankees when he received \$12,000 a year.

OAKLAND WINS

Oakland Panthers won a 10-9 verdict over the Reddy Five Saturday on the armory floor. The game was undecided until the final whistle. Johnson was the best for the Reddy team, while Ron was the best for the winner.

THAT'S LIFE

(International News Service)

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—Benny Leonard, who won the lightweight championship 15 years ago, will resume his comeback campaign tonight when he meets Billy McNamee, rugged New York welterweight in a 10-round bout at the St. Nicholas arena. Leonard is a 13 to 5 favorite.

It isn't the first cost of a political machine, it's the upkeep that counts.—The Duluth Herald.

DARTMOUTH WINS

(International News Service)

LUCERNE, Que., Feb. 29.—With a total of 33 1/2 points, Dartmouth College today held the team title in the annual meeting here of the international intercollegiate winter sports union of North America. Jack Shea, Dartmouth, repeated his Olympic feat of winning two speed skating events.

The first man to suffer the death penalty by electrocution in the state of New York was William Kemmler, who was executed on August 6, 1890.

WOMAN FINED 665 DAYS

(International News Service)

CLEVELAND.—A 50-year-old grandmother, Mrs. Lena Moskowitz, was given a sentence equivalent to 665 days in the workhouse for attempting to escape arrest on a liquor charge by slipping a bottle of liquor into the basket carried by another woman. Judge Oscar Bell fined the woman \$1,000 which she must work out in the workhouse at \$2.50 a day.

MEMBERS ONLY

(International News Service)

HINGHAM, Mass., Feb. 29.—Quarterly dividends of the Pennsylvania railroad cannot be continued unless there is an increase in the company's net income, Gen. W. W. Atterbury, president of the lines, informed stockholders today. He pointed out that the 6 1/2 per cent dividends paid this year came for the most part from surplus funds.

"Quarterly dividends cannot be continued unless there is a material increase in the company's income," he said in a brief message mailed with a quarterly dividend of 50 cents per share to all stockholders.

Gen. Atterbury added that the Pennsylvania would apply for loans from the reconstruction corporation in "moderate amounts" to continue its electrification project between New York and Washington and for other necessary work already under construction.

Sacred Hearts Play Christians

Presbyterians Of Wampum Calendared To Meet Highland

TWO OTHER GAMES ON Y. M. C. A. COURT

Sacred Hearts, tied with First Baptists and St. Michaels for the leadership of B loop in the Church League, will oppose Central Christians in one of the four league games at the Y. tonight.

The Hearts have only played one game, which gave them a tie with the Baptists and St. Michaels, who have romped twice in the second half.

Central Christians have played two games, but have dropped both encounters. However, intensive practice recently has caused them to feel they have a chance of winning over the Hearts.

First Christians and St. Johns, tied for second place in the same division, are sure to go up or down the percentage column. These teams in the B division are about evenly matched.

Highland U. P. will oppose Presbyterians of Wampum in an A League clash. As the Presbyterians are tied with First Baptists for first place in the loop, Highland will try to score an upset.

According to Henry McNicholas, athletic director, the first game will start at eight o'clock.

Chicago Young Man Seriously Wounded In Holdup Defense

Young Man Wounded By Bandit As He Tries To Shield Girl Friend In Holdup

(International News Service)

CHICAGO, Feb. 29.—Blinded by a bandit's bullet when he came to the defense of his girl companion, Theodore Smith, 22-year-old fur salesman and amateur boxer, was on the verge of death in a hospital today.

The shooting occurred in a Forest Park suburban woods known as "Lover's Lane." Forcing open the door of Smith's parked automobile, the robber pointed his revolver at the youth's companion, Miss Mildred Kleiman. Smith was shot in the right temple and blinded when he tried to wrest the weapon from the bandit's hand.

The robber, who has been preying on "Lover's Lane" couples, fled after the shooting.

HAZEL TEAM WINS

Saturday morning on the high school floor the Hazel A. C. passers registered a 26-11 victory over the Canaries. The game was fast throughout. Lockley starred for the losers while Jones and Tressler were the best for the Hazel quintet.

Manila complains of the worst cold snap since 1914. The mercury got down to a fraction under sixty degrees and there was much suffering.—The Minneapolis Journal.

BY RUBE GOLDBERG

SAPORAMS
WHAT COLD REGION DOES THIS PICTURE REPRESENT?

HOW DID NOAH GET ALL THE ANIMALS IN THE ARK?

THERE MUST HAVE BEEN AN ATOMIC ON IT

FRANK MERRIWELL'S SCHOOLDAYS



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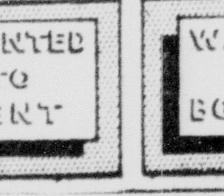
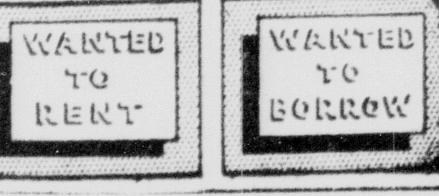


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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Lost & Found

LOST—Sunday evening, gold pin, shape of flower in downtown district. Reward. Phone 703. 11-1

LOST—Gentlemen's white gold Elgin wrist watch. Sun. Eve. at Capitol Theatre fire. Reward. R. B. Craig, Central Fire Dept. 103-1

LOST—Small Fox Terrier, white with dark markings. Answers to name of Paul. Child's pet. Reward. Call 566. 12912-10

Personals

TWO reliable friends—Service. Quality—both are here in developing and printing. Camera Shop. 22 N. Mercer. 12916-4

SAVE laundry bills. Rent a washer \$3.5 a week. Phone 12916-4

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WANTED to buy good golf bag and set of clubs. Give description and price when answering. Write Box 661 care News. 12813-12

AUTOMOBILES

Automobiles For Sale

HERE ARE TWO SAMPLES of bargains in fine reconditioned cars in our used car lot.

1931 Chevy. Sport Coupe; looks like new car; absolutely perfect mechanically; only \$425.

1929 Ford Coach; good paint and tires; seat covers; mechanically O.K.

Call for demonstration

MCCOY MOTOR CAR CO., 217 N. MILL ST. PHONE 5759. 12912-5

3 SLIGHTLY used late model Plymouth sedans with "Floating Power" at reduced prices—cars equipped with wire wheels. No. 1. These exceptional buys at The Chambers Motor Co., 825 Croton Ave. Phone 5130. Terms & trade. Open evenings. 11-5

USED CARS—1928 Ford Coupe, 1929 Pontiac Rd. Gunton Motors Co., 360 Neshannock Ave. 12912-5

USED car sale. 2 late Ford coupes, 1 Ford sedan, 1 Nash coupe, 1 Nash coach, 1 Star roadster, 1 Essex coupe, 1 Buick, 1 Chevrolet 1 ton truck. See these cars before buying. Riley Motor Sales, 648 E. Wash. St. Phone 4070. 12913-5

USED car values. To make room for the new model Ford 4 and V-8 we are sacrificing our entire stock of used and new cars. Prices have been slashed; in many instances as much as 50%. You can not afford to pass up these wonderful values. Look them over and you will be convinced. No one can offer terms as liberal as we do. Universal Sales Company, 101 W. Cherry St. Phone 512. 12912-5

USED CARS—1930 Willys Cch., 1930 DeSoto S Cpe., 1929 Ford Cch., 1928 Chevy. Cch., 1928 Oakland Cch., 1929 Whippet 4 Cch., 1928 White 6 5dr., 1928 Ford 5 dr. Sedan, 1928 Ford 5 dr. 1926 Hudson 7 pass. Sedan. J. R. Rick Motor Co. Phone 5572. 12912-5

SEE the new Graham and have a ride in it before buying a new car this spring. Also some used cars at Riley Motor Sales, 648 E. Wash. St. Phone 4070. 12912-5

ETTA KETT

I HAVE A SURPRISE FOR YOU, ETTA—I SENT EDDIE AN INVITATION TO THE PARTY—MAYBE YOU TWO CAN PATCH UP YOUR GUARREL!

ETTA knew down in her heart EDDIE wouldn't show up—but, there's no law against hoping

WHATS ON YOUR MIND—BROWN EYES?

DICK! HOW DID YOU EVER GUESS? YOU'RE POSITIVELY UNCANNY!!

ETTA

LISTEN! I PLANTED DETECTIVE AND SNIFED AROUND AND I'M RUNNING OVER WITH NEWS!

COME ON LET'S HAVE IT—I CAN'T HOLD MY BREATH MUCH LONGER.

PENFIED IS JEALOUS OF EDDIE. HE FOUND OUT YOU TWO QUARRELED SO HE HAD HIS DAD GIVE EDDIE A JOB OUT OF TOWN—TO GET HIM OUT OF THE WAY—

NO FOOLIN'

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Automobiles For Sale

RADIATOR alcohol, 48c gallon, in your cans. Spencer's, 15 S. Mercer St. Bell 729. 12812-5

Accessories, Tires, Parts

Oil Special

This week we are running a special on oil—oil—heavy, medium and winter medium, 5 gal. can for \$2.50. Only one can to a customer.

BAILEY AUTO SUPPLY

27-39 S. JEFFERSON ST. 12912-6

CHAINS, chains reduced 35%. Chas. E. Cox Service Station, Cor. Grant & State Sts. 12476-6

Auto Painting and Repairs

AUTO and truck springs repaired, re-arched. Prompt expert service. New Castle Spring Works, 227 Croton Ave. 12912-8

BUSINESS SERVICE

Miscellaneous Service

LITERHEADS, envelopes, statements, blotters, tags, labels, stickers, etc., \$2.70 thous. Business cards \$1.50 thous. Free cut service. Write Box 666 care News. 11-10

PROTECT your doors and windows with wire guards. Phone 5220. 12713-10

RUBBER STAMPS made in our store—prompt service. Castle Stationery Co., 24 N. Mercer. Phone 3356. 10624-10

PERSONAL FINANCE CO., 201 CENTENNIAL BLDG. 7 S. MILL ST. & 204 EAST WASHINGTON ST., NEW CASTLE, PA. PHONE 2166

11-21

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